

End Wilcox Swimming Program This Week, 50 Pass Junior Tests

The executive of the Newmarket Community Recreation Council, meeting Tuesday night, agreed to bring an end to the swimming program at Lake Wilcox this week. Presenting a preliminary report on the swimming, E. R. Mather, recreation co-ordinator, said that at least 50 children had learned to swim sufficiently well to pass the junior Red Cross tests.

"Most of the work was in getting the children familiar with water," said Mr. Mather. "Many of the children were afraid of water and wouldn't go beyond knee-depth. As it stands now, the majority of the children could be taught to swim in another two weeks. All the children who went down to Lake Wilcox this summer should be able to swim with only short instruction next year."

He estimated the cost of the program at 30 cents per child per trip for transportation and two cents a child per trip for instruction.

Charles Austerberry, field worker in community recreation, spoke to the meeting, outlining recreation programs which have been developed in other communities. "There are approximately 50 municipalities in Ontario which have recreation programs of the same type that there is in Newmarket."

He said that the Newmarket swimming program was a model of what can be done. "Nowhere in the province have I seen a swimming program to equal the one in Newmarket," he said. In remarking on other recreation programs, he said that the salary of the recreation co-ordinator was nearly always paid by the town council. He mentioned St. Mary, Georgetown, Weston and Ripley township with a population of 1,700, where the municipal council was paying salaries of \$2,400 to \$3,000.

A letter was received from Dunnville where a recreation program is being organized, saying that the constitution and organization of the Newmarket recreation council had been recommended and was being adopted there with minor changes.

Parents Join Children In Park Sport Display

The grade school children enjoying the recreation program at Lions club park put on a show for their parents Friday night but found themselves pushed into the background while members of the Lions club battled the parents in a two of three volleyball contest. The Lions lost the tie-breaking game to the jubilant parents.

The "contest of the century" was only part of the program which saw the children exhibiting kites they had built under the direction of Mickey Smith and his assistant, Scotty Majr, who are supervising the program with Glenna West, Audrey Rowland, Don Gibson and Don Duncan assisting. Donald Budd won first prize for his kite.

George Bell and Franklin Morton second and third prizes. Bill Forhan and Doug May took first and second prizes for base-running for boys under ten. In the ten and over class, Franklin Morton was first with Alvin McKnight and John DeLaHaye tied in second place. Pauline Bovair and Margaret Climpson were singled out for attention because of their attendance record and co-operation in games. Colleen Cain came first in girls' base-running ten and under.

Scotty Majr's Cardinals defeated Mickey Smith's Dodgers 7-6 in a challenge baseball match but on the football field, the situation was reversed with Smith's Dodgers winning 1-0.

Scott, Davis Take Men's Doubles At Contest Here

The Newmarket and district tennis tournament was held Wednesday, Aug. 14, at the Newmarket tennis club courts with teams from Barrie, Uxbridge, Mount Albert, Aurora, Clarendon and Newmarket entered. The Newmarket men's doubles team of T. B. Scott and Keith Davis defeated the Barrie team of Jack Boys and Charles Seagram to win their section, 6-3, 5-6, and 6-3.

In the ladies' doubles, Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Cooper of Clarendon defeated Mrs. Renie of Mount Albert and Mrs. Dorothy Bowman of Newmarket 6-4, 5-6, and 6-3. In the mixed doubles, Clare Walsh and Bruce Gould, Uxbridge, defeated Mr. and Mrs. Keith Davis, Newmarket, 6-5, 6-4.

Prizes for the tournament were donated by W. H. Bell, N. L. Mathews, Miss Beatrice Lyons, R. C. Morrison and Wallis Brothers, Toronto.

Friday evening, the undefeated team of Scott and Morrison met their Waterloo at the hands of Keith Davis and Harry Bell by a score of 7-5 at the Newmarket courts. It was a notable win as Mr. Bell has only played five times in the last 12 years.

Too Late For Fall Fair, W. M. Cockburn Warns

The Newmarket Recreation Council was advised at a meeting of the executive on Tuesday evening that War Assets Corporation wished the use of the drill hall at the camp from September 6 to December 6 for storing military material.

The recreation council moved that a letter be sent to the Newmarket town council saying there was no objection from the recreation group for such a use of the drill hall but that it was hoped the storage period could be shortened to 60 instead of 90 days.

During a discussion on possible uses for the drill hall, fall fair was mentioned. W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative for Newmarket, said later this week that an agricultural fall fair would be out of the question for this year because of the amount of planning required.

"If there is a possibility of a fall fair in Newmarket, plans should be begun now for next year," he said.

He added that the fair grounds would serve for an agricultural fall fair but that additional stabling facilities were needed as well as some smaller display buildings.

MORE CONTRIBUTIONS SWELL FUND TOTAL

The following contributions have been received by the Newmarket Community Recreation Council:

Total listed to date	\$517.70
Dr. L. W. Dales	20.00
Geer and Byers	25.00
Eves' Ladies' Wear	1.00
Cousins Dairy	5.00
Mathews, Silver, Lyons and Vale	25.00
Mrs. George Climpson	.50
Mrs. Frank Hope	.50
L. H. Boyair	2.00
Anonymous	5.00
Rev. Henry Cotton	2.00
L. Cane	1.00
Anonymous	2.00
Total	\$615.70

Other contributions may be left with Mrs. M. B. Seldon, Newmarket, or at the office of The Newmarket Era and Express.

CHINESE SEE CONDITIONS IN YORK COUNTY

During recent years, prominent agriculturalists from many parts of the world have visited some of the outstanding farms and projects in York county but one of the most interesting groups was the delegation of agricultural officials from the department of agriculture of China which spent the day here on Aug. 2. Having conferred with heads of the various departments of the Ontario Agricultural College, they wished to interview our agricultural representative, W. M. Cockburn, regarding the work of the representative's branch, with a view to introducing this type of field service in China.

The party consisted of Prof. C. W. Chang, dean of the College of Agriculture and Forestry, University of Nanking; Mr. Hsien-yoo Shen, chief of the Department of Agricultural Economics, National Research Bureau, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Nanking; and Mr. Yuen-ting Yeh, head of the Department of Crop Testing, Shanghai. Prof. Chang had flown via India to Great Britain where he had spent three months and met the others in the United States after their four-day flight over the Pacific.

All three had taken post graduate studies in the U.S.A. before the war and spoke English fairly well, having studied it previously at the University of Nanking. Prof. Cheng stated they have a number of extension men employed on various crops with local key men operating under these specialists. The professor was greatly impressed with the system which has been developed in Ontario and later followed by the other provinces.

The party visited the seed testing laboratories in Toronto, the Woodbridge Seed Cleaning Plant, inspected the bulls being used by the Maple Cattle Breeders for artificial insemination, and spent considerable time studying the set-up of the representative's office. The following day they left for Washington, D.C.

24 RINKS CONTEST MEN'S DOUBLES MATCH

All 24 rinks were filled in the Newmarket Lawn Bowling club men's doubles for the first time in years Monday night. Mr. Burwash, Agincourt, Dr. S. J. Boyd, and Ray W. Jelley were high for three wins, J. Bowley, Agincourt, was high for two wins, and Horace Cumber was high for one win.

There will be a doubles tournament on Saturday when the Aurora club will use the 'Newmarket greens and entries will be received by C. F. Willis, Newmarket, or Irwin Watt, Aurora.

Mrs. Sylvester Riddell Dies After Year's Illness

In ill health for the past year, Mrs. Sylvester Riddell died at her home at Sutton West on Monday, Aug. 5.

Born in North Gwillimbury on July 29, 1886, Anzoinetta Rose was a daughter of the late Elizabeth and Charles Rose. She married Sylvester Riddell on Aug. 10, 1904.

Mrs. Riddell was a member of the Free Methodist church. Surviving besides her husband are one son, William Charles, and seven daughters, Mrs. C. St. Laurent (Isabel), Sutton, Reta, at home, Mrs. J. McDougall (Ethel), Mrs. M. Cryderman (Daisy), Myrtle Station, Mrs. W. Browne (Dora), Keswick, Mrs. R. Parker (Marjorie), Sutton, and Mrs. C. Crowder (Clara), Baldwin, one brother, Lyall Rose, Toronto, and one sister, Mrs. R. Lang, Sutton.

Rev. E. A. Knechtel and Rev. Mr. Stevenson conducted the funeral service at Sutton United church on Aug. 8. Interment was made in Briar Hill cemetery, Sutton. Five sons-in-law and one nephew acted as pallbearers, Carson Crowder, Reginald Parker, Wm. Browne, Malcolm Cryderman, C. St. Laurent and Sam Reilly.

TO USE CHAPEL

Arrangements are underway for the removal of the military camp chapel to the Salvation Army grounds on Queen St. where it will be used for Young Peoples' activities.

COMING EVENTS

Insertions under this heading, 50 cents for 25 words; extra weeks 25 cents per week; over 25 words, one cent per word per week.

Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 21 and 22—Lions club carnival and street dance. Carnival August 21 at Lions park, street dance August 22 on Main St. 4w20

Friday, Aug. 23—Dance at Cookstown Pavilion to Don Glikos and his 9-piece orchestra. Admission 50c. 2w24

Tuesday, Aug. 27—Newmarket branch No. 428, Canadian Legion, will hold an open meeting in Newmarket town hall at 8 p.m. All veterans are requested to attend. This meeting is important, do not miss it. 2w29

Dancing every Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, to Norm Burling and his King's Men at the Willow Beach pavilion, Lake Willcox. 1t24

Dancing at Middlebrook's air-conditioned dance hall at Arncliffe every Wednesday evening to Bill Smith's orchestra of Toronto. No Saturday dancing. 1t18

RECREATION AT LIONS PARK



Midway, Softball, Dancing In Two-Night Fete Here

Plans have been completed for a gala two-night carnival and dance under the auspices of the Newmarket Lions club in Lions club park and on Main St. Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 21-22.

The proceeds of both nights will be used by the club in its welfare work which includes provision of medical aid to children, the sponsoring of a speech correction class under Mrs. Dorothy Bowman and the operation of a summer recreation program for grade school children at the park.

Wednesday night will be carnival night in the park with a tent show for children on the carnival grounds and there will be the usual games and midway.

Thursday night, events will move to Main St. where a street dance will be held. Prior to the dancing, there will be band music and a sing-song. For those who prefer games to dancing, some of the more popular features of the midway will be set up on Main St.

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THUMB EXPERT JOYCE HILL, 21 IN SOUTH U.S.

Thumb expert Joyce Hill, 21, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hill, Davis Dr., Newmarket, is off on another hitch-hiking tour and at latest reports was roaming through California with her next destination New Orleans by way of Mexico.

Last year, Miss Hill and another girl hitched their way to the west coast, seeing Vancouver and the western states with the maximum pleasure and minimum of expense.

In letters to her parents, Miss Hill writes of how addresses of relatives and friends of those who had given the girls rides and lodging acted as stepping stones in getting them on their way. From San Mateo, she writes that they were staying with "friends of relatives of a man who gave us a ride from Detroit to Chicago. Sounds complicated, doesn't it? But it is really wonderful the way people are giving us addresses of friends and relatives in towns and cities we will pass through."

From Hollywood, Miss Hill writes "Do you know what? I was invited to a special party Red Skelton gave at the elegant Cabana club along the ocean. Susan Peters, Lorraine Day, Lena Romay, who sang with Kugart, and many stars were there that night. Red Skelton's publicity photographer took pictures of Red and myself sitting and chatting in the beautiful lounge."

In Los Angeles, the two girls, Miss Hill, and her companion, Margaret Smith, Brampton, were interviewed by the Los Angeles Times. Part of the write-up reads: "We've been picked up by farmers, truck drivers, lawyers, engineers, and even a Michigan State Supreme Court justice," said Miss Hill. "and they've all been nice to us." "Yes, and we've gathered some wonderful human interest material," added Miss Smith. "You see, we're studying to be writers."

NEED NURSING HELP

The provincial minister of health, Russell T. Kelley, has issued a call for nursing assistants. Miss Vera Pearson, superintendent of York County hospital, says the need is great and has full particulars on the courses, training schools and salaries.

SEEK FIRE EQUIPMENT

Several members of the Newmarket town council were in Toronto this week making arrangements for the purchase of the fire equipment at Newmarket military camp for the use of the Newmarket fire brigade.

Try our classified ad page. Phone 780 and let us do the rest.

Bank Loan Finances Purchase Of Camp, See Housing Soon

An early beginning to the housing development on the Stickwood property was expected this week as the telegram announcing the signing of the agreement of sale of the camp property was received from the War Assets Corporation in Montreal by the town clerk, Wesley Brooks, in Newmarket last Thursday.

Text of the telegram was: "Acknowledge with thanks your cheques for the full purchase price, lands, buildings. Executed agreements go forward to you today. Submission to council forwarded to Ottawa. Have wired quartermaster general branch, Ottawa, to release the properties to you immediately. E. P. O'Toole, War Assets Corporation."

DOWN LANSING 11-3 IN SLOW LEAGUE TILT

By ORVILLE GANTON
Veterans defeated Lansing 11-3 in a rather listless shindig at the Stuart Scott diamond Thursday. Owing to uncertain weather conditions, three of Lansing's regulars failed to report. Cochrane, on the hilltop for the visitors, worked hard but his team-mates were pitifully weak afield. Bill VanZant worked under wraps and allowed six hits. His buddies pounded 11 hits to all points of the compass including a mammoth home run by "Biscuits" Stepak which shattered a chimney on Timothy St. and is reported to have killed a cow in North Gwillimbury.

Perry, Lansing's peppery third sacker, was accidentally badly spiked going into second base. He was forced to retire to receive medical attention.

Doug May and Harvey Gibney were the big shots with the hickory for the Vets, each having three for four and scoring three runs. Before he was spiked, Perry had two of Lansing's hits, one a round trip. The fielding by both teams was ragged.

The game was late starting and the boys toiled on long after day was done and darkness fell from the wings of night. One disgruntled strike-out victim groped his way back to the bench and grumbled, "I couldn't see that last one but it sounded like a ball to me."

This evening Langstaff will move in for the last league game of the season. Their pitcher, Bill Bowen, is one of the smartest young hurlers in softball. Peck's bad boy of the corner store has had the Indian sign on the McDonald tribe all season. Newmarket has received instruction to play the winners of the Lakeshore league in the first round of the O.A.S.A. play-offs. They journey to the Lakeshore on Saturday, Aug. 31, with the return game here Labor Day.

TROPHY DISPLAYED

The George Allison trophy won by the Newmarket veterans' softball team at Mount Albert is on display at the Marigold gift store.

ENTERS HOSPITAL

Mrs. Herb. Haight entered the Toronto General hospital today where she will undergo an operation.

CHILDREN AT PLAY IN PARK



Young Donny Bone and little Miss Hargreaves pose for a moment at the top of slide in the Lions club park where the Newmarket Lions club has been sponsoring a summer program for grade school children.

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LABOR LEGISLATION NEEDS MODERNIZING

For over four weeks, a vital industry has been strike-bound. The government has shown itself so far incapable of meeting the emergency. Instead of the resumption of steel production, a worried nation heard last week reports of a foolish argument about whether or not the union's wage demands would break the price ceiling.

The effect of wage demands upon the price ceiling is not the immediate issue. Canada needs steel. Widely diversified industries are being forced to shut down for the lack of it. Orders from abroad are being cancelled. The first concern is to resume production; then hear wage demands and provide for their settlement.

The steel strike has revealed the inadequacies of the labor policy of the federal government. It has demonstrated the growth of a vicious condition where labor and management have held themselves above the law in the settlement of their disputes. It is indisputable evidence of how antiquated labor legislation has become in the light of the growth of organized labor.

Here is a major industry besieged by a picket line despite the law which says any person may pass through picket lines without hindrance. Here are reports of falsified figures by management in order to gain price increases, the benefits of which were withheld from the workers. Here is an indication of the virtual dictatorship exercised by union leaders over their members. Here is the partisanship of the government in the passage of an order-in-council with penalties for workers who interfere with production but none for the company should it not do its part to continue operations.

Above all, the steel strike provides the unsavory spectacle of irresponsibility by both management and labor, unchecked by legislation in its effects on the national welfare.

We call upon the federal government to: (1) Immediately resume production in the steel industry with guarantees of continued wage negotiations; (2) Conduct a public enquiry into methods of financing company operations with the imposition of penalties where evidence of illegality is uncovered; (3) Conduct a public enquiry into the organization, policies, and constitution of national unions; (4) Bring labor legislation into line with existing conditions, with more effective conciliation machinery, provision for cooling off periods, secret ballots and all democratic practices in the constitution of unions.

The lawlessness that has marked this, and other strikes before it, will come to an end only when the federal government brings its labor legislation up to date and shows a firm but just determination to uphold its own laws. Continued production and harmony between labor and management will become real only when the federal government shows itself willing to acknowledge and protect the rights of each party against unjust action by the other.

SHOWERS FOR PARK ATHLETES

There are only a few hours in the daily 24 when the Lions club park is not in use. In the afternoons, grade school children enjoy a supervised program of recreation. In the evenings, there is baseball and horse-shoes. Adjoining the park, the tennis enthusiasts enjoy their game far into the night with the bowlers, a few feet farther along, keeping them company. In truth, the Lions club park and its adjuncts are becoming the most popular places in Newmarket.

It is unfortunate, however, that the park lacks locker-rooms and showers. For many of the users of the park, it is only a block or two to their homes where they can change and wash up. However there are many players, coming from longer distances in town, for whom a cold shower and a change of clothes after a hotly contested game on a summer night would be nothing short of a glimpse of heaven. As Newmarket competes with outside teams in baseball and tennis, to mention only two sports, the lack of changing and shower rooms becomes the cause for apology.

Would it not be possible to use the changing rooms and showers for a swimming pool in the park for other sports as well? The changing rooms could be built so that swimmers and baseball players could have access to them. They might be built now with the pool being added next spring. The expense would not be great if simplified designs were used, and the tennis club, the bowling club, and the baseball teams might be glad to share in the cost considering the advantages they would enjoy.

The swimming pool is needed, not only for the pleasure it will provide and its opportunity for healthy recreation, but as a safety measure. The Newmarket Community Recreation Council has found it necessary to spend \$1,200 at Lake Wilcox to teach young children how to swim. That expense must be considered each summer until Newmarket has swimming facilities close at hand. There is no reason why a pool can not be built in the near future. The provision of changing and shower facilities is but another argument in its favor.

EXPERT NEEDED FOR LOCAL PROBLEMS

On the agenda for the next meeting of the Newmarket town council is the consideration of a motion to authorize the employment of a graduate civil engineer for Newmarket. Notice of the motion was given at the last council meeting by Councillor Joseph Vale, chairman of the industrial committee of council.

Mr. Vale's motion is most timely and is one

which is deserving of full consideration by members of council. Newmarket is experiencing unprecedented growth and with that growth, the need for long range planning to avoid the pitfalls that often result from rapid expansion. The members of council are being called upon to make decisions for which they lack the technical knowledge. A consulting engineer is retained by the town but he is neither convenient for quick decisions, nor completely familiar with local conditions.

One problem that must be faced is that of how to provide adequate parking facilities for Main St. The council has, on various occasions discussed one-hour parking, parking on one side only, provision of parking lots, and provision of adequate laneways behind Main St. stores. The discussions have been mostly inconclusive although an effort is being made to use Widdifield park for parking space.

The problem of parking is part of a major problem of a too-narrow Main St. The solution to the parking problem is tied in with the provision of an easily travelled Main St. The answer will not be found until the council is prepared to have an expert consider the problem in its entirety, and to act on his report without fear or favor. The council must move for, as it has been pointed out often enough, unless through traffic is given a right of way through Newmarket, the town will be by-passed and the merchants will suffer the loss of summer customers.

The traffic problem is only one of several. Newmarket must be prepared for expansion west on Davis Dr. with the possibility of a new business section developing there. The increasing use of the third concession by lake traffic poses the problem of how to induce that traffic to pass through Newmarket and to use the marketing facilities here. Improvements to the arena will require an expert's advice. The long range planning of water and sewer facilities in anticipation of further expansion must be considered now.

The members of Newmarket-town council have made an excellent record for themselves in many aspects of municipal government. It is too much, however, to expect them to handle the increasing problems of a growing municipality. The council is nominally a policy-making body. Let the members return to that role and employ a man experienced in the work, to handle the details and provide the plans. The council would not be relinquishing its authority. On the contrary, it would be improving its service to the citizens.

FEAR OF COST NOT JUSTIFIED

How often the cry, "How will we finance it?", goes up when needed improvements to the municipality are being considered. There is abroad a fear of expense which threatens to stifle all initiative in local improvement and in the provision of services which will make Newmarket a happier place in which to live.

Municipal government, while it must be operated in a business-like manner with due regard for balancing expense with revenue, differs from a business in that it is not required to make a profit. All that is asked is a balanced budget. As a business, it returns its dividends to the shareholders—the citizens—in the form of improved services.

At the present time, the town of Newmarket is in need of a number of improvements such as sidewalks, parking space, a new bridge on Queen St., to mention only a few. All of these improvements require large portions of the tax revenues, which accounts in part for the fact they have not been provided. While calling for these improvements and services, many of the citizens of Newmarket have shown a marked reluctance to pay for them.

It is unfortunate that some members of the council have listened to these reluctant ones to the exclusion of those who are willing to pay for a better community in which to live. Out of deference to those who prefer a lower tax rate to a higher standard of community living, much ado is made at budget time of the lowered debt service. The lowering of the debt service debt is becoming more important than providing better municipal service. It has become fashionable to point to the reduced debt service as if it alone were the criterion of sound municipal government.

The fact is that while a reduced debt service has much to recommend itself, it does not substitute for municipal improvement. The debt service debt is an indication of the municipal government's willingness to finance community services. A study of the debt service of a municipality provides an insight into how progressive that municipality is in the provision of community services. Granted that a sharp line must be drawn at the limit of a municipality's ability to retire its debt service over a period of years without unduly straining the budget, but in Newmarket, the tendency of many citizens has been to mark that limit well on the conservative side.

At the present time, the Newmarket town council must consider the building of a sewage disposal plant in the near future. And, as usual, concern with financing the task has overshadowed the necessity of a disposal plant and the benefits which will be derived from it. On the record, any planning for a disposal plant is being postponed by taking it for granted that Newmarket simply cannot finance it.

Newmarket taxpayers are paying 3.6 mills for debt service and maintenance charges. This year, debt service payments cost the taxpayers \$26,134.98. Considering Newmarket's revenues of over \$125,000, and its present reduced tax rate of 37 mills, there should be no difficulty in assuming debt service payments on a new sewage plant. Even though it may mean a sizable increase in the debt service debt, and even though it may mean an increase in the mill rate, Newmarket can afford it.

In Passing

While the steel men and the Minister of Labor, Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, argue whether or not anything better than a ten-cent hourly wage increase will break the price ceiling, it is interesting to note that the salaries of judges are undergoing an increase of one-third. A chief justice will receive \$20,000; a puisne judge, \$16,000; chief justice in the high court, \$12,000; county court judges, \$9,000. In addition, judges who attend court outside their judicial district receive an allowance of \$10 a day.

Judges will receive a retirement allowance of three-quarters of their present salary.

THE COMMON ROUND. By ISABEL INGLIS COLVILLE

SHUTTING OUT

I've come to the conclusion after a good deal of thinking—that I do think sometimes, although many writers say that people have lost the art of thinking—that human beings are a good deal like what we used to suppose ostriches were—given to hiding our heads so that we may not see danger or difficulty. Just now, there is so much around us to make a screen to shut out the dangers and difficulties of the times we live in.

I can hear, as I sit writing this, a combine, a tractor and a binder at work, while not far away, men are gathered for a big threshing. Nature has scattered her gold of grain with a lavish hand and when we see everyone busy with garnering food, it's inevitable that the thought of starving and half-fed peoples fades into the background. How can people be hungry while the earth yields her increase? We ask ourselves and forget, in our smug content, that war has left much European soil unfit for cultivation, while in many lands the lack of seed, of fertilizer, of machinery or horses and of healthy manpower is preventing the growing of essential food products.

We hide behind the fact that we have representatives at this and at that; that we have sent one of the largest food contributions to where there is need. Yet, have the facts behind the need for all these meetings penetrated our armour of indifference? Do we feel our responsibilities as Canadian citizens to uphold our representations or if we feel that they do not represent our views, do we make that known?

Do we study strikes—their causes and effects? Or do we hide behind the platitudes that we can let the government, management and labor fight it out and we remain without even an idea on the subject.

If we were asked to vote on "Should strikes be made unlawful?" or "Should management

be compelled to allow full unionization?" what would be our attitude? Would we just not vote or take someone else's view? What do we think about Russia? Russia is so near us that it may become a vital matter to us—our defence against her or our friendship for her. At present, I think most of us are bewildered by her tactics and by what we hear and read. "Discretion is the better part of valour," and "He that fights and runs away will live to fight another day," are two trite sayings with some truth hidden in them, but as I see it, although we need to be discreet in our dealings with the unknown quantity called Russia, discretion without valour would be a mistake for Russia only understands force and preparedness and certainly if we ran away, we'd never have the chance to fight another day.

And when all the world is awry, one wonders at the fighting over a Canadian flag. Certainly we should have one—a flag is a symbol, a rallying point. In all ages people have rallied to the colors. I'd love to see the beaver and the maple leaf on our flag but I hope that small union Jack may still be there. Those crosses of St. George, St. Patrick and St. Andrew are symbols of great saints who were also warriors of the cross. They counted not the cost when the right was involved. I think we, the people, should have a chance to vote on our flag. Our flag—so it will mean something to each of us—to the child who learns to salute it, to the soldier who follows it into battle for king and home and country, and to the civilians who feel it represents something worth living for as well as fighting for.

There are a thousand things that we Canadians have to think about and become vocal about if Canada is to be a land of hope and glory. Like the lonesome Alice in Wonderland: "The time has come, the Walrus said, to talk of many things..."

25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, August 12, 1921

The Bellewoods, intermediate champions of Toronto city league, will play the Newmarket baseball team at the fair grounds Saturday afternoon.

The public library will close August 15 to September 1.

The monthly meeting of the W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. Freeman Gilroy, Sutton, on Thursday, Sept. 8. Mrs. Norman Rogers, Newmarket, will give a paper. A picnic as well will be held at the same place. Members are asked to bring their baskets.

Four organizations held their picnics on Wednesday afternoon. The Presbyterian Sunday-school journeyed to Island Grove, the Friends, St. John's and the Christian Endeavor of the Christian church all went to Bond Lake.

On August 15 Cane-Davis played the town league at a game of baseball. August 18, O.S.M. Co. against N.H.S. All games will start at 8 p.m.

George Hall, son of Arthur Hall, Sharon, was hit by a car driven by Dr. Cane, Pennsylvania. Mary Peat was struck by a car driven by Wilmot Watson, Aurora.

A truck belonging to Smith's hardware started down the street without a driver on Friday. Mr. Bowser tried to stop it but was knocked down. It continued down the street, taking a door off a passing car, but stopped of its own accord as Constable Kirk was on his way up the street.

There was a splendid market on Saturday and a large crowd of people.

The Newmarket baseball team lost their first game of the season to Richmond Hill on Tuesday evening.

The Davis Leather Co. received three car loads of skins this week.

East Gwillimbury council meets at Sharon today.

The Newmarket junior lacrosse team went to maple on Saturday and were defeated.

The property at the corner of Main and Ontario Sts. where The Era printing office was located for 20 years when the late Erastus Jackson had the entire control of the paper, was sold Monday by L. G. Jackson to the Roman Catholic Episcopal church.

The Methodist church choir held its annual picnic Thursday afternoon at Purdy's Grove, Keswick.

MARRIED—At Toronto, Saturday, Aug. 6, 1921, by Rev. J. Painting, Margaret Evangeline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Botsford, Toronto, formerly of Newmarket, to George Albert Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Hill, Balmy Beach.

MARRIED—On Thursday, July 28, 1921, Louisa J., second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison, Richmond Hill, to William Rosamond Reilly, Denver, Col., formerly of Newmarket.

MARRIED—At Old St. Andrew's church, Toronto, by Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., of Montreal, Myrtle V. Rice, Aurora, to J. Eugene Cane, Newmarket.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, August 14, 1896

Engineer Warren tested all the fire alarm boxes in town on Wednesday.

C. Edmundson has opened a harness shop at the north end, next door to Denne's Packing House.

Messrs. Woodcock and Jackson were in Toronto Tuesday collecting special prizes for the fall fair.

Newmarket III and Aurora played a good game of lacrosse Thursday which resulted 5-1 in favor of Newmarket.

George Storey, Yonge St., shocked ten acres of oats in nine hours and 40 minutes this week. There was a large market Saturday morning. Butter was 13 cents a pound, eggs nine and ten cents a dozen, new potatoes ten cents a peck and gooseberries four cents a quart. The town council meets Monday evening.

Operations are brisk at the stove factory. Orders are coming in for apple barrels.

The heat has been intense since Tuesday, the thermometer indicating from 86 to 99° in the shade every day. The heat was so great it melted a roller in use in the press running off The Era on Thursday.

Rev. D. Norman, B.A., Aurora, will take the services in the Methodist church for the next two Sundays.

A return baseball match with the seniors of Aurora was played here Thursday evening.

A junior team, Queen City of Toronto, played Newmarket at a baseball game Monday at the fair grounds.

Work on the main body of the Friends' new church is progressing. The windows are in.

The Young Ladies' Society of the Roman Catholic church is holding a garden party and open air concert Wednesday evening at the school grounds on Ontario St.

MARRIED—On Friday, Aug. 14, 1896, by Elder D. Prosser, Newmarket, Mary A. Woodcock, Whitchurch, to George Hopper, East Gwillimbury.

MARRIED—In Toronto, Wednesday, Aug. 5, 1896, by Rev. L. Odery, Rose Penrose, formerly of Newmarket, to Walter F. Scott, Toronto.

SALUTING

Saluting of officers will be continued in Canada's army. It is a part of the discipline which in turn means efficiency. That its abolition should have been suggested is carrying democracy a little bit beyond the limit.

—Port Arthur News-Chronicle.

HIGH COST OF DESTRUCTION

It's a queer old world, with strange, modern ideas. A world in which millions and millions of dollars are being spent in learning whether atomic bombs have reached the point where they can destroy the world.

—St. Thomas Times-Journal

THEY DIG IT UP

A lot of folk who say they have buried the hatchet always remember where they put it.

—London Free Press.

OTTAWA LETTER by "Jack" Smith, M.P. North York

The work of parliament is progressing well these days and present indications are that the session will end about August 22. The very hot weather (tending to speed up business and members are unanimous that sessions should commence earlier in the year and not drag on during the heat of July and August.

The industrial relations committee meetings continue to be the centre of interest here, as labor leaders sit in with industrialists and members in an effort to bring about industrial peace.

Another increase was recorded in the dominion bureau of statistics cost-of-living index at July 2 when it was computed at 125.1 as compared with 123.6 at June 2, an advance of 1.5 points, according to figures released this week. From August 1, 1939, when the index stood at 100.8, to July 2 this year, there has been an increase of 24.1 percent.

The rise of July 2 reflected widely distributed price increases, affecting four of the six budget groups. The foods index advanced from 142.1 at June 1 to 144.2, prices increasing for eggs, beef, lamb, potatoes and carrots. Clothing moved up from 124.3 to 126.4, due mainly to advances in men's wear and footwear. Home furnishings and services showed a substantial gain from 122.4 to 125.1 as the result of increases in furniture, textile furnishings and chinaware. Due to advances in health maintenance and recreation sections, the miscellaneous items index rose from 112.1 to 113.7. Unchanged were the indexes for fuel and light at 107.2 and for rentals at 112.6.

The increase of 1.5 points in the cost-of-living index between June 1 and July 1, while not expected, places the issue squarely before us, Donald Gordon, prices board chairman, said. It shows us that our choice lies between a moderate and carefully controlled readjustment on the one hand and a sharp and accumulating inflation on the other, he declared. While this increase, he continued, was in large part expected and unavoidable, it is nevertheless a matter for most serious concern. It is the clearest sort of evidence that the job of keeping prices in hand during the aftermath of the war is becoming extremely difficult.

"It provides a mild foretaste of the sort of conditions for which we are headed, unless all groups in the community make a serious effort to hold the line," he added. About one-third of this latest increase, which brought the index from 123.6 to 125.1 points, represents the seasonal advance in vegetable prices which almost invariably reach their yearly high point in the early summer, before the new crops are coming to market in volume, he declared.

While to this extent, this rise in the index need not cause concern, the larger part of this month's increase represents changes of a more lasting character and, like the increases in the index during the two preceding months, the bulk of increase reflects price adjustments which had to be authorized this year in the face of seriously higher costs, he continued.

Since the end of the war, Mr. Gordon said, the cost of living index has risen by approximately five points and practically all of the advance has occurred since early in the present year. "In the best of circumstances, there will be some further moderate increases in living costs, as not all of the price adjustments already authorized have been entirely reflected in retail prices. Higher costs abroad will also have some further impact on our living costs in Canada."

If particular groups exploit their bargaining power to the full in the present condition of shortage to obtain higher wages and higher returns, then we shall inevitably commence a new and severe cycle of price increases. This, in turn, will generate further wage demands and widening industrial disputes and will restrict and postpone that large expansion in production upon which we are relying to overcome shortages and to provide the basis for high peacetime employment, he emphasized.

Due to several large and prolonged work stoppages arising out of industrial disputes, the time lost due to strikes and lockouts in Canada during June rose to 935,188 men-working days, bringing the total time loss for the first six months of 1946 to 1,626,296 days, it was announced by Labor Minister Humphrey Mitchell yesterday.

The number of strikes and lockouts at one time or another during June totalled 36, one more than in May. A total of 70,088 workers were involved in the June strikes as compared with 47,730 workers in the previous month. Of the 36 strikes in effect during June, 11 of them were strikes which carried over at the end of May. At the end of June, five of the 11 strikes

originating in May had been terminated and 17 of the strikes begun in June had been ended, either by settlement or by the workers returning to their jobs pending settlement, leaving 14 strikes still in effect at the beginning of July. Preliminary figures for the first six months of 1946 show 117 strikes, involving 92,220 workers. For the same period last year, there were 95 strikes with 25,871 workers involved and a reported loss of 564,925 working days.

Approval was given in the commons this week to the constitutions of two United Nations agencies. These were the world health organization and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

In summarizing the steps which led up to the formation of the world health organization, the minister of justice, Hon. Louis St. Laurent, said: "The steps leading up to the signature of the constitution of the world health organization in New York on July 22 were initiated at the United Nations conference at San Francisco when the word 'health' was inserted in the charter upon the proposal of the delegation from Brazil. Following this action the states represented on the appropriate committee unanimously approved the declaration of Brazil and China, on the calling of an international conference for the purpose of establishing an international health organization."

In introducing the UNESCO constitution, Mr. St. Laurent said in part: "Here in Canada we have not yet determined what form of action we will take to bring the bodies interested in educational, scientific and cultural advancement into relationship with this international organization. It is desired to have some Canadian body that will be widely representative of the Canadian public and that will be entirely divorced from any partisan political influence, to make this a matter in which all those in Canada interested in educational, scientific and cultural development will feel that they have a part."

"The precise financial relationship between the budget of UNESCO and the budget of the United Nations has yet to be defined. A supplementary agreement is to be negotiated for that purpose between the two organizations. The view of the Canadian government is that the United Nations should exercise a general supervision over UNESCO budgetary arrangements. It is also its view that caution should be taken in outlining financial commitments until UNESCO has had some experience in securing the co-operation of existing international organizations and societies in the educational, scientific and cultural fields. UNESCO is authorized with the approval of the executive board to receive gifts, bequests and subventions directly from governments, public and private institutions, associations and private persons."

Canada has "done a good job for the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration," L. B. Pearson, Canadian ambassador to the United States, said in an interview with the Canadian press in Paris recently. "Tremendous goodwill" has been gained for Canada throughout Europe for trade on a commercial basis, he said. Mr. Pearson is en route to Geneva to attend an UNRRA council meeting. He heads UNRRA's supply organization. "By her aid to UNRRA," he said, "Canada helped put the economic machinery of Europe in running order. Trade is moving—when is the important thing? Canada may be involved in resettlement schemes (of displaced persons), but it would require an amendment to the present immigration laws or some special concessions to allow Canada to help the situation materially, Mr. Pearson said."

In the House of Commons this week Labor Minister Mitchell announced that 1,377 voluntary repatriates to Japan left Vancouver on August 2 en route to Japan. This is the third sailing of voluntary repatriate groups, the earlier sailings having taken place at the end of May. The number repatriated to date totals 3,151.

The house this week gave third and final reading to a bill to establish the Canadian Commercial Corporation, a crown-owned company. It will assist Canadian firms to sell to and buy from foreign governments. In moving the bill, Trade Minister MacKinnon said in part: "The corporation is being established to fill a definite need created by war conditions and the special problem of transition to more normal trading relations. That need exists today and will probably continue for some time. The future of the corporation will depend in large part upon the degree of freedom in private

Young Hopefuls

By DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

Send your questions to Mrs. Dorothy Bowman, P.O. box 144.

Glasses Not Oddity

Helen is now in her teens and she jokes about how sensitive she used to be because she had to wear glasses as a child. She was the only child in her community who wore glasses although there were others who needed them, too. Helen felt a little inferior to the other children because she was different. "Even when I was only six years old I wanted to wear glasses because I could see so much better with them, but some of the children at school made fun of me and called me 'Cross-eyes', 'Glass-eyes', and other names like that. Sometimes I would hide my glasses in my pocket and just wear them at home," she recalls. Without her glasses Helen couldn't see the picture on the wall or what the teacher wrote on the blackboard but she didn't tell that to anyone. One day Helen's mother asked her teacher if the glasses were helping Helen with her reading and then it was discovered that Helen was supposed to wear her glasses all the time. "After that I wore my glasses all the time and learned to read much better than the other children who needed glasses, too."

At home Helen didn't like to wear glasses when there was company. "Everyone asked questions about my eyes. Mother seemed to feel so terribly sensitive that it made me more sensitive. I know now that everyone was trying to be kind, but then I felt hurt and ashamed because something was wrong with my eyes."

"When I was about ten years old, a new boy, Jack, came to our school. He was the nicest boy I'd ever known and everyone liked him. Jack wore glasses, too. One day, he was telling the class a story about where he lived, to school. Everyone was asking questions and I asked if he wore glasses then. Jack said he'd always worn glasses and seemed very proud of his glasses. Then he said, 'Aren't we lucky we aren't poor and can wear glasses?' After that I began feeling really lucky and a little superior, too. Some of the boys and girls even talked about getting glasses for Christmas instead of the bicycles and skates they had been talking about."

Today, the importance of correcting faulty vision early is recognized and more and more children are being fitted with glasses. A child wearing glasses is no longer an oddity or the object of harmful ridicule or equally harmful pity. Attention and need for concern is directed more and more toward the child whose precious sight is in need of protection and is suffering through neglect.

CANADIAN ILLITERACY

You cannot call Canada a literate nation when her motorists cannot read "No Parking" or "School—Go Slow" signs.

—Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.

IN FACT, STRAINER

A native of India has a 64-inch moustache. It must be quite a strain—especially during the soup course.

—Kitchener Record.

trade accorded to the nations of ex-enemy countries. It is impossible to state any actual time limit, but this organization is being set up as an aid to business and will be continued just as long as, and not longer than it will continue to be a necessary aid to business. "The Canadian Commercial Corporation is now the procurement agent for UNRRA. "It is intended that the corporation shall be self-sustaining. "The intention of the corporation is to charge a handling fee of one-half of one percent of the purchase price, which it is believed will cover expenses."

A three-pound increase in the sugar ration for domestic consumers over the balance of the calendar year, with comparable increases for industrial and government users, was announced in parliament by Acting Finance Minister Douglas Abbott. Mr. Abbott said improved stocks made the increase possible, although world sugar supplies are still not sufficient to meet the demand.

The increase to the household ration will be made by declaring valid three additional ration coupons, each good for the purchase of one pound of sugar. Two coupons will be declared valid in September and the third on or about December 6.

Prices board officials said the announcement was made well in advance in the hope that housewives would devote more of the sugar supplies to canning, although no increase is being made in the canned sugar allowance. Ten pounds of sugar will be declared valid on September 19, two in October, three in November and three in December.

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WED AT ST. ANDREW'S, HERE



St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Newmarket, was the setting for the double-ring wedding on July 27 of Grace Ethel Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wilson, Newmarket, and Walter Joseph Boudah, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. Boudah, Kimmount. Pictured above, from left to right, are: Mrs. W. R. Allen, bridesmaid, Miss Dorothy Wilson, maid of honor, the bride and groom, Mr. George Boudah, brother of the groom, best man, and Miss Barbara Wilson, also a bridesmaid. The bride's attendants are all sisters. Photo by Budd.

DOWN THE CENTRE

By AB. HULSE

Softball serenade: Among the all-star selections we have been receiving from some of the fans the past few weeks was the following from Shorty Richardson of Aurora who has followed the North Yonge league pretty closely all season and figures he would like to see the following 11 players forming his club. We pass it on without comment. We feel sure there will be plenty of it from other corners. Shorty says he's not afraid to go out on a limb but he's not leading with his chin either. He picks seven players, two batteries and a coach.

The choices a la Richardson are: first pitcher, Bill Bowen; Langstaff; second pitcher, Bill VanZant, Newmarket (Richardson says he would like to see Bowen in action with a better team behind him than he's had all year); first catcher, Harold Echlin, Thornhill; second catcher, Doug May, Newmarket; first base, Fibber McGhee, Lansing; second base, Nels Findlay, Thornhill; third base, Scotty Mair, Newmarket; short-stop, Stan Evans, Newmarket; left field, Irwin Stepak, Newmarket; centre field, Harvey Gibney, Newmarket; right field, Wilfred White, Aurora; coach, Jack "Cee-gars" McDonald, Newmarket. We'll be publishing some other choices and will be glad to have yours. Do it right now.

Stroud pulled one of the big surprises of the year by nosing out Cookstown and Harry Course in the final game of the South

Simcoe league. Cookstown finished the season on top with only one loss in 14 games. They took their first round series in a cake walk and defeated Stroud 10-0 in the first game of the finals. In the second game, Stroud took a 7-6 verdict and also won the final, which was witnessed by around 800 fans, by the same score.

Truth of the matter appears to be that Stroud had a well balanced club with plenty of youth, while Cookstown, apart from Cous and his catcher, Dawson, weren't too strong. Stroud will go on in the Simcoe County championships. Chuck Boychoff, who turned in some sparkling hockey last winter for Bradford juveniles, was one of the leading players on the Stroud line-up.

Bob Mooney, Schomberg sportsman, came out of retirement a few days ago to lead the Graham A.C. girls to the championship of South Simcoe. As will be recalled, Schomberg had two teams in the group. Hastings' Red Shirts finished on top and the girls sponsored by Cliff Graham were second. In the semi-finals, Alliston eliminated the Red Shirts, while the Blues were blanketing Beeton. Came the finals and Alliston with most of their team on holidays had to default. A sudden-death game was then played with Beeton and the cup went to the Mooney coached team.

On the season's record, the Red Shirts may have a shade on the Blues but nevertheless the Graham A.C. are champs. Put the two together and Schomberg can set down one of the best girls' clubs in the rural areas.

Tiny Graham, who used to perform at Sunnyside and is wife of the sponsor, handled the catching duties and did a grade A job. Her sister, Dot Crosby (another Mrs.), who has also had Toronto experience, twirled smart ball all year and was probably the best in the circuit. The infield had Eva Carr at first, Ethel Moody (Bob's daughter-in-law), at second, Yvonne Kilpatrick at short and Lorraine Moody, a 14-year-old youngster (Bob's daughter), at third. They were a little late starting to click and another year together will see them going at top speed. Phyllis Sloan, Betty Edwards and Isobel Flanagan provided a fast outfield. Alma Sloan and Jean Taylor gave the team high class reserve strength. The Schomberg girls would like a few exhibition games before the season officially closes.

Uxbridge won the championship of the North Ontario softball league, defeating Clarkston Arnold (Zephyr Blues), and his Junior Farmers' team in the finals. En route they ousted Udon, which had led the league most of the year.

Tottenham, featuring Bill Thornton, former Aurora junior hockey player, on the mound, is a finalist in the Alliston and district midget circuit and look good enough to take it all. Cedar Grove leads the Markham township league with Unionville and Markham battling it down the home stretch.

A teacher battery is in action for Markham, which sets a mark of some sort for district softball. Duard Rose, principal of Markham public school, does the catching with Principal Winston Bates of the high school on the mound. Among well known (Continued on Page 4)

GRACE WILSON HAS CHURCH WEDDING

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Newmarket, was the setting for the wedding on July 27 of Grace Ethel Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wilson, Newmarket, and Walter Joseph Boudah, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. Boudah, Kimmount. Rev. J. A. Smith performed the double-ring ceremony against a background of white delphinium and lilies. Mrs. Wm. Epworth was at the organ and Mrs. Leonard Little sang "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was becomingly attired in silk embroidered organza with a fitted bodice and bouffant skirt falling into a slight train. Her three-quarter length veil fell from a sweetheart headress and she wore her mother's pin, a sunburst of pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses and stephanotis.

Miss Dorothy Wilson, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and was gown in silk embroidered organza over pastel yellow taffeta. She carried pink roses and bouvardia.

Mrs. W. R. Allen and Miss Barbara Wilson, sisters of the bride, were bridesmaids. They wore similar dresses of silk embroidered organza over green and orchid taffeta. They carried bouquets of Talisman roses, yellow roses and bouvardia. They all wore white organza picture hats with velvet streamers in pastel shades and pearls.

Mr. George Boudah, brother of the groom, was best man, and Mr. Wm. Wilson and Mr. Wilfred Hopper were ushers.

The reception followed at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Wilson received in a gray crepe dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink roses. She was assisted by the groom's sister-in-law, who had chosen beige crepe with brown accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

For travelling to Montreal the bride donned a pink dress with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Guests were present from Toronto, North Bay, Smooth Rock Falls and Boston, Mass.

KESWICK

Mrs. George Gilroy, Oakville, is spending three weeks here with Mrs. A. Gilroy.

Mrs. Vera Herring and Mrs. Wm. Lloyd, Agincourt, were calling on friends in the village on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron King, Toronto, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Orville King and Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright this week.

Mrs. Norman Crone, Sharon, was a guest at Miss B. Terry's on Thursday.

Sharon W.I. held a picnic at the home of Mrs. Fred Hall, Keswick Beach, on Thursday.

Mr. Arthur Prosser celebrated his 81st birthday on Aug. 9.

Mrs. Kirkland and two sons of Weston are visiting Mrs. Kirkland's brother, Rev. R. Serrick, and Mrs. Serrick.

Arthur Tomlinson, who has been in poor health for some time, was taken to Toronto last week for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonsdale and son, Ivan, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright.

Two heavy thunderstorms Friday night brought much needed rain to dry gardens and burnt lawns, and also brought much cooler weather.

POTTAGEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hutt, Pottageville, are happy to announce the birth of their son on Aug. 3 at Mrs. Lister's Rest Home, Schomberg.

Miss Lorraine Hawkins, Toronto, is holidaying with her aunt, Mrs. Ward Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gould and family visited Mrs. Gould's brother, Mr. Harold Campbell, at Musselman's Lake recently.

Mrs. Harold Stone spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jackson, at Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilder and family have returned home after holidaying with relatives at Huntsville.

Mr. Alf. Merriman has returned home after receiving treatment at York County hospital, Newmarket, after he was trampled by a cow.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Burt-Gerrans, Toronto, are holidaying at their summer cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Nugent and family of Toronto are holidaying at their new home here.

Mrs. W. Warren, Toronto, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Robt. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith, Springdale, spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. A. Archibald.

Mr. J. O'Brien, Newmarket, spent Sunday with his uncle, Mr. E. O'Brien.

The Pottageville Woman's Association meeting will be held on Thursday, Aug. 15, at the church.

Mrs. Graydon Atkinson, Muskoka Falls, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shanks.

Mrs. Manalinas and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Britnell and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkes, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George West.

KING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL PAYS \$141 FOR LOSS OF SHEEP

The eighth meeting of the King township council was held at Kettleby parish hall Aug. 3. Reeve L. B. Goodfellow was in the chair. The minutes of the former regular meeting were read and adopted as read.

Accounts passed: North York Registry Office, list of sales and search, \$2.92; the Bolton Enterprise, advertising, .50; H. G. Rose, registrations, \$2.50; The Ontario Gazette, advertising, \$39.20; Aurora, fire protection, \$40; treas, Kettleby parish hall, rent, meeting, \$.5; Harold Pringle, rent township office, \$25; Burnel Graham, drainage pipe and supplies, P.V.S., \$81.51; C. Maynard, grates, P.V.S., \$2; James Rae, labor on dam P.V.S., \$2; Wm. Crane, labor on dam, P.V.S., \$1; Roy Jennings, labor on dam, P.V.S., .50; W. Fry, one load of earth fill dam, P.V.S., \$2; Crawford Wells, bulbs, King City, \$1.20; Chas. H. Ross, services and mileage, \$10.10; road voucher No. 8, \$13,358.90; relief voucher, \$40.11.

A. E. Hollingshead was paid \$115, and Gordon Bond, \$26 for sheep killed by dogs, and Chas. Walton paid \$6 for three trips as valuator.

It was moved by T. A. McCutcheon and seconded by Wm. Kehoe that: Whereas on July 30 the treasurer of the township of King received a cheque for the sum of \$1,364.66 from the treasurer of the township of West Gwillimbury, and whereas the records of the township of King show a balance of \$468.27 standing to the credit of the township, in a special account at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, King City, and whereas this amount of \$1,832.93 comprises the surplus received from the sale of debentures, according to by-law No. 798 and the provincial government 20 percent subsidy and is therefore refundable to the owners in the Holland Marsh drainage scheme, therefore be it resolved that the treasurer is hereby authorized to refund and apportion the above amount between the respective owners including the municipality on the 4,259 acres within the Holland Marsh drainage scheme, according to by-law No. 796 and according to the 1945 collector's roll.

PINE ORCHARD

Mrs. Fred Leach returned to Chatham after holidaying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Armitage.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mortimer and daughter of Windsor, who are holidaying at Musselman's Lake, called on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lundy on Sunday.

Miss Fay McKeown, Toronto, spent Civic holiday weekend with Miss Fay Grindall.

Mr. Charles E. Browne left last week to visit friends in Winnipeg, Man.

Mr. W. L. Armitage, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend with his brother, Mr. Ross Armitage, and Mrs. Armitage.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Eveleigh and family of Aurora spent their holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. Chapman.

The Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. Milton Sheridan on Wednesday, Aug. 7. The meeting was in the charge of the president, Mrs. Frank Sheridan offered prayer and Mrs. W. Reid read the lesson. The topic was taken by Mrs. James Hope. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. A. Neidler. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. W. Reid.

Misses Lorraine and Doreen Smith, Toronto, are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnston.

Mrs. A. Lloyd has been visiting relatives in Aurora.

Miss M. McDonald, Toronto, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCallum.

SHARON

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Forsythe, Port Credit, and Miss Mary Vanstone, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vanstone.

Misses Beatrice and Lillian Stevens, Toronto, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. David Coates.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hislop and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Corbett, Nancy and Mary, Beth, Weston, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hunter, John and Paul, Edgeley, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Orchard, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Jagger Oldham, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rose, Larry and Wilfred, Mount Albert, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wreggit and had a picnic supper on the lawn.

Misses Gwen Kiteley and Helen Newton, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Kiteley and Miss Phyllis Kiteley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaw and Miss Nora Shaw spent Tuesday in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Stevens and children of Kirkland Lake are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens.

Quite a few from the village attended the Women's Institute picnic held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall at Keswick Beach.

ANSNORVELD

Mr. A. Havinga spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. Turkstra, Hamilton.

Rev. J. VanderMeer, accompanied by Mrs. VanderMeer and Johnny, spent the weekend in Hamilton where Rev. VanderMeer conducted the services at the Christian Reformed church.

Rev. S. Dykstra, Hamilton, conducted the service at the Christian Reformed church here. Rev. Dykstra was accompanied by Mrs. Dykstra.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Winter spent the weekend visiting friends in Hamilton.

As is customary during the summer months, The Newmarket Era and Express will be open Saturday nights from 7 to 9

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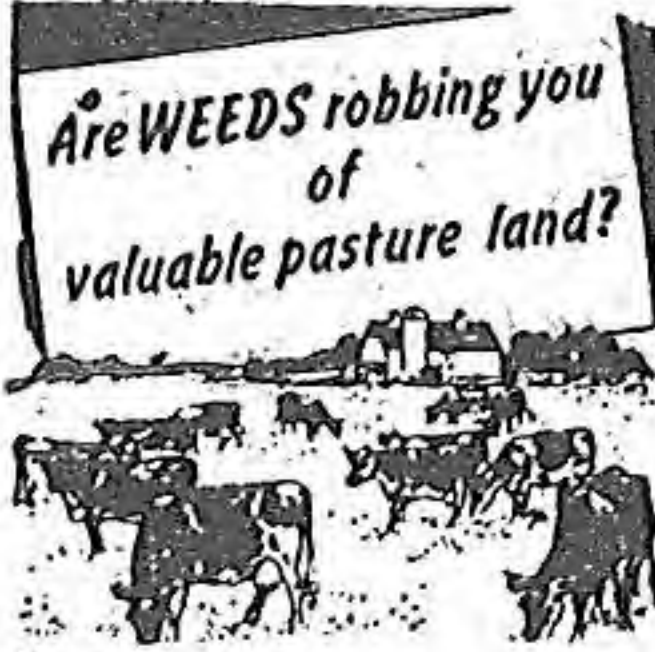
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DOWN THE CENTRE

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hockeyists playing with the Markies are Vic Meharg, Bob and Ernie Lawrie and Gord and Tom Forgie.

Peaky Weatherall, former Markham junior hockeyist back in Unionville after a stint in the service, is handling the catching duties for Unionville. Three brothers, Charlie, Bob and Ernie Blundell, are in the Unionville line-up, another sports oddity of the district. Len McMullen, who used to play third base for Richmond Hill Roses, and Reg Perkins, one of the best of the pre-war interscholastic track stars, are team members.

Newmarket ladies, currently burning up the baselines in the North York ladies' loop, look sure winners of that \$20 offered by the Markham-Unionville Lions club. A bid has been forwarded them by the Aurora Canadian Legion to feature in one of the spots on the big Labor Day field day at Aurora against one of the top-flight Toronto intermediate teams. The Aurora ex-servicemen have a nice attraction there if the gals are willing and they'll be sure of plenty of support from the fans.

A belated effort has been made to strengthen the Langstaff softball team and it may turn out to be lucky for some of the teams that it started late. Tim Saul, veteran Hill second-sacker, Jimmy Grean, still a mighty sweet centre fielder, Herb Rose, one of the district's best junior athletes (hockey, lacrosse, baseball and softball), and Huck Young, another veteran Hill performer, have all been added to the team. While their chance of a play-off berth is not good, especially with Aurora playing improved ball, they'll make it more than interesting from here in.

North York A.C., who presents a changing line-up most games, has added two veteran hurlers from Toronto in the persons of Carl Brewer and Len Whitehouse. Both in their late 30's, the veteran moundsmen were once ranked with the best senior B hurlers in the Queen City. Brewer was once rated a top-flight senior A pitcher. They lack a lot of their old speed but in the play-offs they will be tough to beat.

Johnny Callanan, ex-Newmarket camp favorite, is near the top of the hitters in the Dovercourt Park senior B league. Long John is with Prince of Wales and is back in his old time style. Roy Murden, nifty catcher of the 1945 edition of the camp softballers, is performing for Ostranders this season and is one of the leading lights in the Davisville Park league.

Gar Doolittle and Keith Kyle of the Aurora junior and midget squads and perhaps the best individualists on either team, are out with the Toronto Leafs training school this week and both boys, along with the boys from Newmarket, should do pretty well.

Markham, according to all reports, is figuring on being in the O.B.A. midget playdowns. Leon, Simmons entered Markham but the O.B.A. failed to publish the entry in their draw. That may well be an oversight. However, for second round purposes, it still should be Aurora, which is figuring on adding Mac Clement, the Richmond Hill catcher and clever all-round performer, and Norm Stunden, talented portside of the Hill team.

Newmarket will add both Gar and Loring Doolittle in their junior championship quest. Aurora might well have made a straight trade of Mickey Sutton for Pee-Wee Rutledge, Sutton being of junior age and Rutledge still ripe for midget. Jim wanted to stick with his team-mates at Newmarket and in the final series Mickey turned in his worst display of the season. Sutton, in our opinion, was perhaps a bit better for junior than Rutledge and with Aurora, Jimmy would have made the Aurora infield. However, that's the way things work out and we can't blame Manager George Haskell or Rutledge for sticking by their team.

Strange as it may seem, Eric Upton, oft-times called "Gooch" and protagonist of Tommy Dales, while playing with the Hill all season, is also a member of the Beaches Lions juniors, currently leading the East Toronto league. However, the Toronto teams are in A and will not meet the North York winners.

The first game of the Stouffville-Newmarket series starts August 17 in Stouffville and we understand Dick Mather and the folks in canaltown are preparing to follow their team to the bitter end. Midland has dropped out of all O.B.A. series and Herb Beauchamp is screaming to the skies against the O.B.A. executive. It's too bad for Midland that they are situated at the end of nowhere so far as motor traffic is concerned. It means every year, in every sport, the same story. "Who wants to play us?" Herb may scream but we can't lay all the blame on the O.B.A. If Midland wants opposition, they'll have to go out and develop it elsewhere.

Somebody is deserving of some criticism in the North York baseball playdowns. Aurora midgets have been lying idle almost two weeks and it

doesn't do them any good. Last Thursday, for instance, they journeyed to Richmond Hill and the Hill team didn't even know they were scheduled to play there. The series resumed this week and Aurora should canter past the Hill.

It would seem a travesty of justice if they should be forced to play Markham after that. The way we see it, the North York representatives should go on into the play-offs when they are at peak form and not waste time with inferior opposition. Stouffville has added Minton, Schepelman, Rows, Jewitt and Petch for its series against Newmarket. It will only prolong the agony. Let's have some outside opposition.

It was a treat to see Leonard Simmons and his crew of workers skin the diamond at Aurora last Friday night. Nary a cool, tall one, nothing but hard work, but the boys pitched in, some 20 of them, and slugged it out until well past dark. They did a good job. A bit late in the season perhaps, but still and all something that needed to be done. Those charged with keeping the sports wheels humming in Aurora know by now if they didn't before, it's no use expecting the town fathers to do anything. If you want it that way you've got to provide the ideas and the help.

Thisa and thata: Les Beazer, ye olde promoter, is head and shoulders behind those outdoor boxing shows at Oakwood Stadium which have been packing some 3,000 fans weekly to see the bouts. Les is a crony of Pete Calderone and the Bagnatos and rightly enough he figures that, properly handled, a smart display of the "manly art" will pay in North York. Come September, you can expect to see a show in Aurora arena and perchance the local Legion will stage a wrestling show, too.

Jimmy Cummings, former captain of Aurora junior hockey team, has decided to play his football with Oakwood Indians this fall and with a good team to play with for the first time, he should stand out at the fall sport.

Earl Rowe, while he didn't capture the \$50,000 Hambletonian with his three-year-old Van Riddell, made a pretty fair sort of showing, according to the harness enthusiasts. Actually he finished eighth once and ninth twice in a 12-horse race for the stakes. But considering the opposition, the time and that the Rowe entry was making its first start this year, generally they say it was a "good show". Quite a few district race fans journeyed to Goshen, N.Y., for the event including Jim Armstrong, Adrian Bateman, Art Spence, Al Rogers and Jack Ramsay. Canadian racing with the harness horses, like the runners, is still quite a bit behind the U.S.A. due to better training condition. Mr. Rowe is reputed to have been offered some ten to 25 grand for his racer.

Charlie Lawrence, Dundalk, a pretty shrewd race owner, has purchased Lady Lee Gratton from Bob Moody and Ted Ellison of Schomberg and the price was in four figures. Jean Gratton is still owned by Bob and he has great hopes for this one, sired by Jack Gratton with Satin Slipper as dam. As a two-year-old, Jean Gratton shows great promise and may well be a blue ribbon winner. She's being brought along slowly.

Bill Beresford, one of the Hill's most popular athletes and former Aurora junior, sniffs orange blossoms next week with Miss Marjorie McCulloch, Barrie. Good luck, Bill!

Don Brownlee, Woodbridge, broke his nose last week in the boxla game between Maple and Woodbridge at the latter centre. It was the most serious injury of the season in the group. For that matter, Woodbridge had four receive medical treatment the same night. The fact is, however, that Woodbridge plays as rough and as tough as any other club in the group. They don't ask for and naturally don't receive any quarter.

Huntsville lacrosse team will breeze into Aurora on Saturday, Aug. 17. It's a new stunt so far as Aurora is concerned, playing a game on Saturday. Last major sporting event on a similar night was on March 12, 1939, when Lindsay played hockey here. Elsewhere, it has always been a case of sports drawing well on Saturday.

The fans will see one of the best games of the season. Jim McGhee, Sr., saw Huntsville play Midland and he says it was the best he ever saw. Huntsville trimmed Combines in Huntsville on civic holiday but only after the understaffed Combines team faded in the last quarter. Stewart Stephens and his boys are in

41 Properties Change Hands Within Month

Between May 25 and July 31 five sheep were killed and three were damaged on the farm of Dr. C. J. Devins on the 5th concession of Whitchurch, for which the council of the township paid \$75 at the regular meeting held on Saturday. On July 24 and 25 two sheep were killed and one badly wounded on the farm of Cleve Hickson, lot 81, near Aurora, for which compensation of \$55 was ordered paid.

The manner of killing on the Devins' place leads to the suspicion that a wolf or wolves are doing the killing, since each sheep had a similar hole in the neck, and were not torn in the manner which dogs usually treat their victims.

The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, notified council that in future the charge for treatment of out-patients would be 75 cents per treatment instead of 50 cents.

Ivan Pattenden, recently appointed part-time constable, tendered his resignation, which was accepted, to be effective after Labor Day. Constable Hamilton's services will be discontinued after Sept. 3.

The clerk informed council that there had been 41 property transfers within one month, as shown by returns from the registry office. The information revealed the vast changes that are taking place, and the influx of new property owners, most of whom are summer home owners.

Aurora Fire Brigade attended four fires in the township in a period of one week for which they were paid \$160 under the terms of the agreement recently entered into. On July 26 a call was answered at the farm of Don Fines, and on July 27 and 28 two calls (one each day) at H. Guthrie's. Then on Aug. 2 a call took the brigade to Baker's gravel near Wilcox Lake.

PLEASANTVILLE

Dr. Robt. McClure, M.D., who has served as a missionary in China, and his wife and family of Toronto called at Elmer Starr's home on Sunday.

Other guests at the home of Mr. E. Starr included Mrs. J. M. Walton and Mary, Aurora, Miss Barbara Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Holden and two children of Toronto.

Rev. and Mrs. R. R. McMath and Miss Buchanan, Newmarket, were Wednesday night tea guests at Earl Toole's home.

Mrs. John McClure spent Tuesday afternoon and had tea at the Needler home.

Miss Audrey Hunt, nurse-in-training at Toronto Western hospital returned to duty Monday after spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sheridan and two children had Sunday dinner at M. Sheridan's home.

The Willing Workers' meeting was well attended last week at the home of Mrs. M. Sheridan. The members are planning sewing with material from the Salvation Army. Over \$60 was realized from a voluntary offering from members. This means of raising money for church purposes was used in place of a garden party.

The grandmothers' meeting of the Institute will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 20, at the home of Mrs. Chas. Flintoff, Newmarket.

Mrs. Elmer Starr left on Monday with friends for a vacation at St. Catharines.

Bogartown school trustees have had a fine paint job done to the school and surrounding buildings and fence.

Pine Orchard Union church services are being held each Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Cox, Toronto, is the speaker for the present and gives us much to think about and put in practise during the week.

fine fettle for the game and they need to be with two all-important games coming up against Maple and Woodbridge the week after. You can't make a mistake attending the game at Aurora next Saturday night.

Harry Sutton, veteran Aurora sports figure, will be in the Aurora line-up and he hasn't weakened the Combines a bit. He scored a goal at Huntsville and on his appearance against Scarboro looked pretty good. Sutton is learning lacrosse the hard way but he's more than making good. Aside from that, he looks after Aurora midgets in the North York lacrosse league. The latter league is fast developing into a real dog fight with all five teams closely matched and the schedule about half finished.

WHITCHURCH

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MAGISTRATE'S COURT

Drinking In Parks Said Root Of Trouble

Magistrate J. E. Pritchard, K.C., reserved judgment for one week on a charge of fraud laid against Cecil Abbott, Toronto, by David Hillis, Brownhill, in magistrate's court in Newmarket on Friday.

Hillis stated that Abbott had procured sod from him for which he had received a cheque for \$132 on June 15. He stated that the cheque had been returned marked insufficient funds. He stated he had received a cheque before from Abbott for other sod and that it had been all right.

Abbott stated he had taken about 15 loads of sod from Hillis' property, whereas he had paid for about 50. He stated that he knew he didn't have enough money in the bank to cover the cheque, but that he knew if he didn't give him a cheque he couldn't have had the sod.

In reserving judgment till next week, Magistrate Pritchard said he strongly suggested that the amount be paid to Hillis by that time.

A charge of having liquor not purchased on his own permit against A. N. McNeill was adjourned another week to permit McNeill to obtain defence counsel.

A charge of theft against Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilds was adjourned until next week to allow the complainant to produce witnesses.

Howard G. Eggle, Toronto, was fined \$10 and costs on a charge of illegal possession of liquor, to which he pleaded guilty through his counsel, J. J. McDermid. Mr. McDermid explained that Eggle had been taking the beer from his home in Toronto to a friend's cottage at Jackson's Point, and had arrived before his friend did.

"This drinking of beer and liquor is what has been causing all the trouble in these parks," said Magistrate Pritchard, in fining A. E. W. Etcott, Brampton, \$15 and costs for having beer in his car at Riveredge Park. Etcott pleaded guilty to the charge.

George Morris, Toronto, was fined \$15 and costs on a similar charge. "If this doesn't stop, the penalties will have to be increased," Magistrate Pritchard warned.

MOUNT ALBERT

Mount Albert, Aug. 8 — Mrs. Orrin Morris of Buffalo was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnot Harrison.

Mrs. Hugh Price has been staying a few days with friends at Washago Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stokes, Brampton, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Degeer, Toronto, were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes over the weekend.

Miss Jennie Oldham returned this week from a visit to relatives in western Canada.

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On Aug. 5, members of the Mount Albert Branch of the Canadian Legion staged a successful sports day. This is to be an annual event. The weatherman favored them and the general public supported them in a manner that no one could grumble at. Softball, tug-of-war, midway attractions and the lucky draw were all supported. The dance in the evening was, of course, crowded as the dancers swung to the music of The King's Men.

The prizes were won by: Mickey Smith, Newmarket, \$25; Mrs. Mae Armstrong, Mount Albert, \$15; R. C. Hayden, Newmarket, box of soap; Ab. Hulse, Aurora, \$5 meat; Roy Eves, Sharon, 1 lb. wax; Tommy Bingham, Ballantrae, chicken; O. Hilliard, Ballantrae, eau de cologne; L. Forhan, Newmarket, theatre tickets.

There were several tickets with no names on them and if the owners of these tickets will call Howard Morton at Mount Albert they can secure their prizes: Ticket Nos. 03101, \$10; 00272, electropail; 02665, 1 lb. wax; 00641, car jack; 00347, eau de cologne; 02923, 1 gal. cleaner; 02837, 1 gal. cleaner; 02841, Massey-Harris certificate, \$5.

The games resulted in some very close decisions and the day was marked as one where good sportsmanship was much in evidence. The results were: Mount Aubert 3, Sutton 7; R.C.A.F. 4, Zephyr 0; Newmarket 11, Aurora 3;

Sutton 1, R.C.A.F. 0; R.C.A.F. 3, Newmarket 6;

Newmarket took first money, \$20 and the Geo. Allison trophy, with Sutton taking second money of \$10.

The tug-of-war results were: Sutton defeated Newmarket, and Mount Albert defeated R.C.A.F.; Sutton defeated Mount Albert. Sutton is the holder of the Dr. Macpherson trophy for one year. During the afternoon, races for the kiddies took place and some of the youngsters really could travel. Prizes were given

LOCAL MARKET

Saturday morning on the local market, eggs were 50 cents a dozen for large, 45 for medium and 40 cents a dozen for pullets. Butter was 45 cents a pound.

Potatoes, beets and apples were 35 cents a six-quart basket. Carrots were five cents a bunch.

TORONTO MARKET

Butter, creamery solids No. 1, was 40 cents a pound on the Toronto markets on Tuesday. First grade creamery prints were 42 cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, on a cases free, delivered to Toronto basis, as follows: grade A large, 49 to 50 cents a dozen; grade A medium, 47 to 48 cents; and grade A pullets, 43 to 45 cents.

Prices in the poultry section included: chickens, 4 pounds and up, 34 to 36 cents a pound; fowl, 4 pounds and up, 24 to 26 cents; ducks, 27 to 29 cents; geese, 25 to 27 cents; old roosters, 20 cents; young turkeys, 37 cents. All prices are on grade A poultry.

Weighty steers were \$11.50 to \$13.50, with one load of choice \$13.85; butcher steers with heifers mostly \$10 to \$12.50; boners downward to \$8; butcher cows \$8.25 to \$10.50; canners and cutters \$3.50 to \$8; bulls \$8.50 to \$11; fed yearlings \$12.50 to \$14.50; stockers \$8.75 to \$10.75.

Calves were \$14.50 to \$15.50 for choice, plain vealers downward to \$8; grassers \$8 to \$9.50.

Lambs were \$15.50 to \$16 for good ewes and wethers; bucks \$1 cwt. discount; culls \$12 to \$13.

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RAVENSHOE GATHERING HONORS FORMER TEACHER

School section No. 9, East Gwillimbury, and Ravenshoe United church people honored Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pollock with a social evening and presentation of gifts Aug. 6. The gathering was held in the church basement and a happy, evening was enjoyed by a good sized crowd.

The signatures of Frank Graham, Elmer Pollard, Ralph Holborn and Elgin Deavitt were attached to an address which, on behalf of the people present and a number of others, conveyed good wishes and congratulations. It was recalled that Mrs. Pollock, as Betty Mahoney, was teacher of the school for two years.

The address, written by Mrs. Fred Mahoney, was read by Marion King. The gifts were a reading lamp and a gate-leg table. Both the bride and groom made suitable replies.

The program included a reading by Florence Bosworth (Lowell's "The Courtin'") and a series of games in which all were asked to join. Of these the giant sneeze seemed to be the most popular, although the party line was a close second. Rev. Gordon Lapp was chairman.

Refreshments were served.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith and son of Abbey, Sask. A son of Mr. Thos. Smith, Norman has been visiting at his father's home and with other relatives and friends. He reported his holiday a pleasant preparation for the harvest season on his Saskatchewan farm.

Ladies of Ravenshoe church will serve supper on Wednesday, Aug. 21.

KESWICK

Bride-To-Be Showered With Gifts, Good Wishes

Although showers of rain have been scarce, showers of gifts for brides and brides-to-be have been frequent. Another such happy occasion was that of Aug. 7 when, in Keswick United Sunday-school room, Miss Doris McGenerty was honored by a party of friends from Keswick, Zephyr and other points.

Her fiancé, Mr. Stanley Miller, Zephyr, was also present. Following a brief program and preceding a social hour with refreshments, the young people were placed in the traditional seats of honor and kept busy opening parcels. The numerous gifts were varied, useful and beautiful.

Mr. Miller and Miss McGenerty thanked the friends, as did also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McGenerty.

At the request of the chairman, the following spoke to convey the good wishes of the audience and of others who could not be present: Wm. King, Mrs. Frank Marritt, Mrs. Jas. Clark, Clive Kershaw, Mrs. P. F. Winch and Mrs. Austin Huntley.

June Prosser played a piano solo, Phyllis and Marlene Rye sang a duet and Ruth Mary Winch gave a reading.

The sacrament of baptism for infants and small children will be included in the morning service of the United church on Aug. 18. Interested parents are asked to get in touch with the minister before Sunday.

Miss Helen Willmott, Kingston, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Jack Winch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson and daughters, Lois and Marilyn, Port Huron, Mich., were recent guests at the home of their cousin, Mrs. Stanley Mahoney. Being church musicians at home, Mrs. Anderson and Marilyn assisted the United church choir Sunday morning. Marilyn sang The Old Rugged Cross at the Sunday evening concert at Indianola Beach.

HOLLAND LANDING

Mrs. C. Bellar spent the holiday weekend with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Harrison, Haliburton.

Rev. Warren, Aurora, had charge of the service on Sunday morning in the United church. Mr. Warren was a former pastor here when the church was part of the Queensville circuit.

Miss Bessie Evans, Reg. N., Orillia, spent Monday at her home here, returning to Guelph with her sister, Mrs. A. Riley, and family, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Quarry and small son, Guelph, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Evans. Mrs. Quarry and Drew are remaining for a week.

Mrs. V. Prosser, Toronto, is visiting her brothers, F. J. Sheppard and S. C. Sheppard, and Mrs. Sheppard and Dorothy.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sheppard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McKenzie at their summer cottage at Indianola Beach on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bagley and family of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Sweet on Sunday.

S. R. Goodwin and son are building a tannery on the C.N.R. property.

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MOUNT ALBERT CUP, DEFEATS HOPE 8-2

Mrs. Lee, Gerald and Marilyn, Toronto, are spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnot Harrison.

Mrs. T. Allison returned on Sunday from a visit with relatives at Penn Yan, U.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Theaker and Beth, and Miss Harmon took a boat trip to Rochester, N.Y., over the weekend.

Dr. J. M. Hamilton and Miss Marjorie Schulte, Geneva, N.Y., were guests this week at the home of Mrs. Agnes Crowle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stokes and children of Toronto are holidaying at the home of Mr. Stokes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes.

Mrs. Horace Brown is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Foster, at Elmhurst, Lake Simcoe.

The rain on Friday was a grand thing in the community as there had not been a shower for some time. In spite of the dry weather, farmers have a wonderful crop of grain, some say the most they have ever had, and potatoes are good too. The rain will help the late ones but on a whole crops are splendid in these parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan and Dorothy, Toronto, were weekend guests at the home of Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. Howard Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, Jean and Marian, motored to Midland to spend the weekend.

Rev. Mr. Webber, Toronto, was the minister at the United church on Sunday as a representative of the Lord's Day Alliance and spoke from the text, Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it Holy. If it were not for this church organization we would not have the laws passed that are in regard to keeping the Sabbath as a day of rest, Mr. Webber said.

Monday night saw the close of the softball tournament when Mount Albert defeated Hope team 8-2 and won the cup for the season. These games have been followed with great interest with the large crowds always in attendance assuring the teams playing real support.

The Mission Band of the United church served hot dogs and drinks at the ball game on Monday night under their leaders, Mrs. H. Morton and Mrs. W. Morton. They cleared over \$22.

MOUNT PLEASANT

The Women's Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Bernard Davidson on Tuesday, Aug. 20, at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs. Thos. Bosworth is ill.

Mrs. Joel Hopkins has her sister of Oakville visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis and son, Neil, of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson.

Miss Iva Stiles, Reg. N., of Langstaff is spending her vacation with Mrs. Everett York.

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HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—Brick house, 6 rooms, sunroom, 3-piece bath, furnace, all beautifully decorated, garage. In Newmarket. Possession September 1. Charles E. Boyd, Real Estate. See R. R. McMath, 17 Main St., Newmarket, phone 533. c1w29

For sale—7-room brick house, living room 20'x14', hardwood in living room and halls. Ultra-modern kitchen. Brand new sunroom, equipped with windows and screens. Laundry tubs. Hot water heating. New roof. Lot 94'x140'. Marvellous opportunity for landscaping. In Newmarket. Charles E. Boyd, Real Estate. See R. R. McMath, 17 Main St., Newmarket, phone 533. c1w29

For sale—Frame house near Keswick, 8 rooms, cellar, hydro, water, 1/2 acre. \$5,500. Possession September 1. Charles E. Boyd, Real Estate. See R. R. McMath, 17 Main St., Newmarket, phone 533. c1w29

For sale—Near Keswick, cement clad house, 3-piece bathroom, hydro, water, barn, 3 acres. Will be sold and possession given immediately. Charles E. Boyd, Real Estate. See A. M. Colville, phone 765j12, R. R. 2, Newmarket. c1w29

2A HOUSE WANTED

Wanted to rent—Small house in or near Newmarket or Aurora. For young couple. Phone Newmarket 317j1. c1w29

4 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—Choice lots (Newmarket Rosedale), (Lundy Ave. and Bolton Ave.). Apply C. F. Willis, 55 Millard Ave., Newmarket, or phone 497. t1f7

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
\$21,000. Small country estate on main highway 15 miles north of Toronto, situated on almost 1 acre of landscaped grounds. Owner's colonial residence, flagstone terraces, living-room with open fireplace, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, completely modern kitchen, Deluxe electric refrigerator and stove, oil heating. Inspection by appointment. Write Era and Express box 1163. c2w28

4A REAL ESTATE WANTED

All cash—Wanted abandoned farm land preferably no buildings or bush, 50 acres or over, give full particulars. Write Era and Express box 1167. c2w29

6 HOUSE FOR RENT

For rent—Good 6-room frame house with garden. Good chance for retired couple or with 1 child. 1 mile south of Pottsville. Apply George Smith on Aurora-Schomberg highway between 4th and 5th concessions. c2w29

For rent—7-room house and woodshed in Queensville. Available September 1. Apply Mrs. Jas. Cunningham, Queensville, phone Queensville 502. c2w28

7 FARM FOR RENT

For rent—Farm, 100 acres, very productive land, 3rd con. of North Gwillimbury, good barn, brick house, hen house, large silo, milk house, water piped to barn. Apply Mrs. Friend Morton, R. R. 1, Keswick. c3w27

12c GARAGE FOR RENT

For rent—Garage. Mrs. Robt. Graves, 34 Millard Ave., Newmarket. c2w28

12A COTTAGE FOR RENT

For rent—Cabin, near Island Grove. August 19 to end of the season. Mrs. Ross Armitage, R. R. 3, Newmarket. c1w29

14 ROOMS WANTED

Wanted to rent—3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, or apartment. In or near Newmarket or Aurora, for young couple. Phone Newmarket 317j1. c1w29

Wanted—Room and board for girl in business office in Newmarket. Apply Newmarket Era and Express. Phone Newmarket 780. c1w29

Wanted to rent—2 or 3 unfurnished or furnished rooms in Newmarket. Urgent. Apply Era and Express box 1166. c1w29

17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Beach circulator stove, Congoleum rug, 8' x 10 1/2', ivory iron bed, mattress, electric radio, table, washstands. Mrs. Frank Pearson, Mount Albert, phone 1101. c1w29

White duck pants for men available at Insley's. 5 roomy pockets. Belt loops and cuffs. Yes! It's the store with the merchandise. c1w29

Insley's—Remember it's not what you pay for merchandise, it's what you get for what you pay that counts most. The store with young ideas. c1w29

Sport coats at Insley's. Smart green checks, plain and fancy herringbone designs. Better dressed young men choose their clothes at Insley's for smart appearance. c1w29

Children's aid—Insley's can outfit boys from the children's aid, head to foot. Nothing is too much trouble at Insley's store for young Canada. c1w29

Children's allowance cheques. Insley's is the real place to outfit young Canada for suits, shoes, pants, etc. A welcomed shopper—our "little pals". c1w29

Boys' suits at Insley's. Now is the time to purchase your suit, fancy tweeds and Donegal. Be wise and do not wait until fall, young Canada. c1w29

Limited quantity only at Insley's. English gabardine double duty coats, self-lined, fly front, Balmain collar. This takes place of top coat and raincoat. c1w29

Visit Insley's store regularly and oh! my, what large selections to choose from. When you look at this stock you will say there is no shortage here. c1w29

Winter overcoats are now on display at Insley's. Thrifty people can save money. It's an opportunity for people with the cash. c1w29

Reduced at Insley's. Junior boys' jumpers. Regular \$1.98, reduced price \$1.39. Sizes 11 to 13 1/2 only. c1w29

Straw hats at Insley's. Clearing 301 peanut, work straw hats at 25c for cottage or farm. Can outfit the whole family. c1w29

For sale—24" and 28" nylon window screening. Wilson's Hardware, Aurora. c1w29

For sale—Hearing aid batteries for most popular makes. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliance, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. t1f24

18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Considerable quantity of field stone suitable for ashlar building construction. Will purchase on site or delivered to Roche's Point. Write Era and Express box 1159. t1f25

Wanted to buy—Canary cage. Phone 93, Newmarket. c1w29

19 USED CAR FOR SALE

For sale—'31 Chrysler coupe, overhauled, excellent running condition, 5 good tires, serial No. 9752782. Can be seen nights. Phone Newmarket 610j. c1w29

19A USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—For cash. Good used cars, any make, any model. Phone 777, Newmarket. t1f16

20 USED TRUCK FOR SALE

For sale—Maple Leaf truck, good tires and running condition. Apply 52 Timothy St. or phone Newmarket 78w. c2w28

22 HELP WANTED

Help wanted—In Newmarket, housekeeper, middle age. Apply 17 Eagle St., Newmarket, 2nd house from Presbyterian church. c1w29

Help wanted—Man for general garage, service station work. Stout's Garage, Aurora. c1w29

Help wanted—Waitresses and cook's assistant. Full or part time. Good wages and working conditions. Apply Dawson's Grill, Aurora. t1f13

Help wanted—Mechanic, must be first class with A papers and tools. Highest wages paid, ideal working conditions. Duncan Motor Sales, Eagle St., Newmarket, phone 601 or write P.O. Box 450. t1f18

Help wanted—Married couple, no children, for modern farm near Newmarket. Wife as cook-general, man as herdman. Experienced. References. \$130 per month plus board. Phone 467w12 Newmarket. c3w28

23 WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Lady desires work by the day. Write P.O. box 5, Queensville. c1w29

Work wanted—Capable woman desires position as housekeeper in a refined home, Newmarket or Aurora. Write Era and Express box 1164. c2w28

24 LOST

Lost—Black fox terrier, 6 months old, white front, light brown paws, circle around eyes and answers to "Queenie". Owner's pet. \$10 reward for return or information. Phone Newmarket 127w1, reverse charge. c1w29

Lost—Man's gold watch, Pleva, around Middlebrook's, Friday, Aug. 9. Reward. Phone Newmarket, 433w1. c1w29

28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—11 young pigs. W. R. Chapman, Queensville. Phone 520. c1w29

29B POULTRY WANTED

Wanted to buy—All kinds of live poultry. Premium paid above market prices. Will call. Phone Newmarket 657. t1f43

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

For sale—40 N.H. hens, 16 months old, blood tested, laying 80 percent. Phone Queensville 703. c1w29

31 MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted—Return pitchers taken from buffet. Names withheld. Valued as keepsakes. c1w29

For sale—50 square foot buff Insull Brick. Act fast. Wilson's Hardware, Aurora. c1w29

Earth for fill. Anyone wishing earth for fill can have same for taking it away. Apply first house north of Sisman's No. 2, factory on Berzcy St., Aurora. c1w29

For sale—Ferrets. A. W. Heard, Ross St., Aurora. c1w29

Cut down on sugar for fruit, pickles and baking. Try Baker's Sweetener. Directions on container. Orders taken, deliveries made. C. Davis, 163 Main St., Newmarket, phone 782j. c1w29

We buy and sell shotguns and 22 rifles. We have ammunition available for all calibres. Morrison's Men's Wear, Newmarket. t1f47

Wanted to buy—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. We pay for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 51j1, Newmarket. t1f16

For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. t1f52

Sewing machines repaired in your home, parts and accessories. H. J. Leppard, Keswick, formerly of Singer Co. t1f16

Who pays your income when you are disabled by sickness or accident? Now is the time to see Welly Stevens, Sharon, for details about Mutual Benefit Lifetime Disability Protection Policies. c2w7

Mutual Benefit's new family hospital and surgical expense policies will help you pay your hospital bills, if you or any member of the family are laid up. These cost only a few cents a day for the average family. See Welly Stevens, Sharon, for details. c2w7

For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hose, for those who suffer from varicose veins, aching and knee troubles. Arch supports, Lumbago belts. Best's Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. c1w29

Alterations at Insley's. Bring your little troubles along. Pants, sleeves and coats shortened. It pleases us to please you. c1w22

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto, phone AD3636. t1f49

Slender Tablets are effective. Two weeks' supply, \$1; 12 weeks', \$5; at all druggists. c3w3

Hygienic supplies (rubber goods) mailed postpaid in plain, sealed envelope with price list. 6 samples 25c; 24 samples \$1. Mail order dept. T-68, Nov-Rubber Co., box 91, Hamilton, Ont. c5w27

RADIO REPAIRS

Quick, efficient service. Phone 139, J. L. Spillette and Son, Newmarket. t1f22

MORRISON'S SPORTING DEPARTMENT

Pup tents for summer holidays, \$4.95; tourists' tents, \$18 and \$35, made by Woods' Manufacturing Co. Complete stock of fishing equipment for the opening day and sport clothes to match the occasion. Phone orders accepted. Morrison's modern clothing and sportswear store, Newmarket. t1f14

EAVESTROUGHING

Roof leaks, furnace, chimney repairs. Phone Newmarket 773w. t1f16

ASPHALT, TILE FLOORING

Restaurants and stores. Kitchens, bathrooms, recreation rooms. By expert workmen. Eavestroughing, roofing, siding, etc. Free estimates. Phone Aurora 119w. t1f3

SPRAY AND BRUSH PAINTING

Expert workmanship plus high quality paints. Free estimates. W. J. Hopkinson, phone 402, Newmarket. t1f11

BIRTHS

Anderson—At York County hospital, Saturday, Aug. 10, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Anderson, R. R. 1, Cedar Valley, a son. c1w29

Bellar—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 11, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. John Bellar, Newmarket, a daughter. c1w29

Bunn—At York County hospital, Friday, Aug. 9, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bunn, Roche's Point, a daughter. c1w29

Burns—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 11, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burns, Oak Ridge, a son. c1w29

Connor—At York County hospital, Saturday, Aug. 10, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connor, Oak Ridge, a daughter. c1w29

Dobney—At York County hospital, Monday, Aug. 12, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. James Dobney, Bradford, a daughter. c1w29

Emery—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 11, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Emery, The Chateau, Aurora, a son. c1w29

Galloway—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 7, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. David Galloway, Baldwin, a son. c1w29

Haines—At York County hospital, Thursday, Aug. 8, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines, Newmarket, a daughter. c1w29

Hoover—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 11, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hoover, Stouffville, a son. c1w29

Kennedy—At York County hospital, Monday, Aug. 12, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kennedy, Queensville, a daughter. c1w29

McHattie—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 14, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McHattie, R. R. 1, Keswick, a son. c1w29

Scott—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 14, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Scott, a son. c1w29

REPAIRS TO ANYTHING

ELECTRICAL

Washers, refrigerators, stoves, toasters, hot plates, radios, vacuum cleaners. Guaranteed service. Phone 139, J. L. Spillette and Son, Newmarket. t1f22

THE BEST BRONCHIAL COUGH SYRUP

For coughs, colds and bronchitis. A prompt and effective remedy for the relief of bronchitis, tight or chesty coughs and colds, 50 cents. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket. t1f22

HOUSE PAINTING DONE, INTERIOR OR EXTERIOR

Cars symbolized and washed. Apply 48 Lorne Ave., Newmarket, or phone 435. c2w28

For rent—Refrigerator lockers for domestic purposes. Norman Summers, lot 19, con. 4, East Gwillimbury, or phone Queensville 1617. c3w28

33 PETS

For sale—Cocker spaniel puppies, registered males. Elsie Huntley, Queensville. c1w29

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

Dogs boarded by day, week or month in ideal country home. Washing and clipping expertly done. Basil Watson, Valcose Kennels, Gorham St., Newmarket, phone 672. c1w20

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF MARGARET MAY SLATOR, DECEASED. All persons having claims against Margaret May Slator, late of the Town of Newmarket, in the County of York, Registered Nurse, deceased, who died on or about the seventh day of December, A.D. 1945, are hereby notified to send to the undersigned, on or before the sixth day of September, A.D. 1946, full particulars of their claims. After the said date, the Administratrix will distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice. c3w28

DATED AT NEWMARKET, ONT., this seventh day of August, A.D. 1946.

Allan M. Mills, Newmarket, Ontario, Solicitor for the Administratrix. c3w28

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

AND OTHERS
IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM MARRITT, DECEASED. All persons having claims against William Marritt, late of the Township of North Gwillimbury, in the County of York, Gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the 14th day of June, A.D. 1945, are hereby notified to send to the undersigned, on or before the sixth day of September, A.D. 1946, full particulars of their claims. After the said date, the Executors will distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice. c3w28

DATED AT NEWMARKET, ONT., this seventh day of August, A.D. 1946.

Allan M. Mills, Newmarket, Ontario, Solicitor for the Executors. c3w28

Letters to the editor are always welcome. Letters to the editor are the voices of the citizens speaking through the community newspaper. t1f11

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Scott, R. R. 2, King, twin daughters.

Stephens—At York County hospital, Thursday, Aug. 15, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stephens, Aurora, a daughter. c1w29

Stephens—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Aug. 13, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stephens, Newmarket, a son. c1w29

Terry—At Mayfair hospital, Toronto, on Sunday, Aug. 11, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Terry, Toronto, a son, James Harvey. c1w29

Watts—At York County hospital, Thursday, Aug. 15, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Watts, R. R. 3, Mount Albert, a son. c1w29

Webb—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Aug. 13, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Webb, Aurora, a daughter. c1w29

DEATHS

Ground—At Newmarket, on Thursday, Aug. 8, 1946, William J. Ground, 215 Ranleigh Ave., Toronto, husband of Mildred Florence Dawson; father of Dorothy and Jack. c1w29

The funeral service was held in Toronto on Saturday afternoon. Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery. c1w29

Gunn—At 55 Chicora Ave., Toronto, on Sunday, Aug. 10, 1946, Christina Agnes Gunn, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gunn, Holland Landing, and sister of the late John Alexander Gunn and the late Mrs. Catherine Wilson. c1w29

The funeral service was held Tuesday afternoon. Interment Toronto Necropolis. c1w29

Sykes—At York County hospital, on Friday, Aug. 9, 1946, John J. Sykes, husband of the late Edith Vale, in his 93rd year, father of Bob Sykes, Toronto, Mrs. Sheppard, Bradford, and Delbert, Barrie. c1w29

The funeral service was held on Sunday at Dunkerton. Interment Bond Head cemetery. c1w29

Wilson—Suddenly, at his late residence, lot 1, con. 5, King, on Wednesday, Aug. 14, 1946, Thomas G. Wilson, husband of Laura Anning and father of Chester, Stanley, Marshall, Merrill, Murray and Marjorie, in his 57th year. c1w29

Resting at his late residence. Funeral service will be held at Kettleby United church on Saturday, Aug. 17, at 3 p.m. D.S.T. Interment Kettleby cemetery. c1w29

In Memoriam

Duffield—In loving memory of AC Arthur C. Duffield, who was killed on August 14, 1942, in a crash. Nothing can ever take away the love a heart holds dear; Fond memories linger every day. Rememberance keeps him near. Too dearly loved to be forgotten. Mpm, dad, sisters and brothers of Vancouver, B.C. c1w29

Lee—In fond and loving memory of our dear one, L.-Cpl. Herbert Lee, R.C.S.C., killed in Italy, Aug. 19, 1944. If we had all the world to give, We'd give it, yes, and more, To hear his voice and see his smile. c1w29

SALE REGISTER

Saturday, Aug. 17—Auction sale of household effects and 14 tons of timothy hay, property of Mrs. James Cunningham, north end of the village of Queensville. Sale at 12.30 sharp. Terms cash. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, phone Queensville 105. c2w28

Saturday, Aug. 24—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, furniture, etc., the property of Mrs. Wm. Eves, on the premises, lot 3, con. 3, East Gwillimbury. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c2w29

Tuesday, Aug. 27—Auction sale of farm stock and implements, Fordson tractor on 10" rubber, new tractor plow, new hay loader, new, full line of implements, 60 hogs, 30 cattle, 2 teams of young horses, hay, grain, roots, furniture, the property of Ross Deawitt, lot 18-19, con. 5, North Gwillimbury, 1/2 mile east of Belhaven. Sale at 12.30 o'clock. Terms cash. Percy Mahoney, clerk, J. E. McDonald, Cannington, auctioneer. c2w29

Thursday, Aug. 29—The undersigned will sell by public auction household effects, the property of S. Gertrude Millard. Sale will be held at the market hall, Newmarket, at 7.30 p.m. See posters. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c2w29

Thursday, Aug. 29—Auction sale of Holstein herd, Fordson tractor and plow, hay loader, side rake, new, full line of implements, binder, 7 ft. McCormick-Deering, nearly new, horses, the property of B. Litter, lot 2-3, con. 4, Georgina, 1/2 mile east of Baldwin. Terms cash. Sale at 1 p.m. Frank Tomlinson, clerk, J. E. McDonald, Cannington, auctioneer. c2w29

Thursday, Aug. 29—Auction sale of 40 head of choice, dairy cattle, registered and grade Holstein cows, horses, implements, grain and 7 acres of Laurentian field turnips, property of R. J. Pollock, Keswick, lot 10, con. 4, North Gwillimbury. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. Frank Kavanagh, auctioneer. c2w29

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Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Barrager, Tracey and Margaret, are visiting Sault Ste. Marie and northern Michigan.

Miss Anna Morton, Mount Albert, has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. John Closs, Jr.

Mr. Joffre Feren is spending this week at a Baptist Y.P.U. camp.

Mrs. Mel. Wilson underwent an operation at York County hospital last week. She is progressing favorably.

Mr. Earl Attridge is spending this week at his cottage in Haliburton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Duff and family are on holidays at Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murray are on holidays at Belmont Lake.

During their recent holiday trip, Dr. and Mrs. G. A. C. Gunton visited the farm work camp at Theford where Peggy Gunton and Joan Hill are employed for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Osborne and Peter spent the weekend at Lindsay.

Deputy-Reeve Asa A. Cook, Mrs. Cook and family, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Palmer, spent the weekend with relatives at Trenton and Shannonville.

Mrs. E. M. Hobson and family, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulse.

Mr. L. C. Lee, Dr. G. W. Williams and Mr. Walter Milgate are on holidays at Dr. Williams' cottage near Parry Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Davis and family have returned home after holidaying at Timmins.

Mrs. M. L. Andrews, Misses Bertha and Marjorie Andrews spent Sunday at Wasaga Beach.

Miss Kathleen Mosley, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mosley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Graham and family have taken up residence in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian Aiken, Miss Jean Aiken and Miss June Cole, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cotey have occupied the Reynolds residence on Yonge St. north.

Mr. H. M. McKenzie is spending this week at Parry, Sound with Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Williams.

Malcolm Hill is on holidays at Detroit, Mich., with his mother, Mrs. M. Kitson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Southmayd and family of Toronto were in Aurora on Tuesday, calling on friends.

Mrs. Roy Belfry and son, Roger, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Watson.

Mrs. T. K. Fice and daughter have returned home after spending a week at Wasaga Beach.

Miss Judith Hale, Willowdale, is visiting Mrs. Harry Richbell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stouff and Miss Marilyn Stouff spent the weekend at Buffalo, N.Y.

MIDGETS PLAY OFF AT MARKHAM AUG. 17

Aurora midgets will play their first game in the O.B.A. midget playdowns on Saturday, Aug. 17, at Markham at 3 p.m. The return game will be played in Aurora. The Aurora youngsters are deserving of support and all fans who can make the trip to Markham are urged to do so. The Markham team, aside from the strengthened with the addition of players from Milliken and Stouffville. Aurora has added Mac Clement and Jack Atkinson to its roster. The winner of this round proceeds on in the quest of the Ontario title.

TRUCK IS DAMAGED

Fire damage to the extent of several thousand dollars took place early Saturday morning when a large truck owned by Colville Transport, Toronto, caught fire from an unknown cause north of Aurora. The Aurora fire brigade was called to the scene and prevented further damage. The truck escaped without much loss but the load was badly damaged.

DR. WALTER GEIKIE DIES, WAS BORN IN AURORA

Dr. Walter Geikie, 89, one of Ontario's best-known physicians, died on Saturday. Dr. Geikie was the son of Dr. W. B. Geikie, dean of Trinity Medical College, and was born on Yonge St. when Aurora was still known as Macchell's Corners. He was educated at Dr. Tassie's Grammar school, Galt, and Upper Canada College and Trinity Medical College. He practised in Elmira and Toronto, retiring from active work in 1917.

ATTEND CAMP

Misses Ruth, Freda and Blanche Henderson, Gormley, well known Gospel singers, are at Roxbury Camp, Shippensburg, assembly being held there.

Enjoy Summer Fruits in Winter



Fruits and vegetables properly home canned now will help make the family meal more appetizing next winter. This home economist of the Consumer Section, Dominion Department of Agriculture is one of a staff that tests various methods of home canning. Booklets on Home Canning are available free from the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

CLASSIFIEDS CAN BE OF SERVICE TO YOU

SERVING AURORA AND DISTRICT

Effect Of Strike Is Felt Here As Steel Supplies Run Low

The effect of the steel strike in Hamilton is beginning to be felt by Aurora industry and workers and employers are hoping that the strike will end before the effects become serious here.

The Aurora Building Company has the signed contract to proceed with the erection of the Hart Manufacturing plant on Edward St., who had originally planned to open this year. So far the steel reinforcements needed have not been secured and the start on the job is being held up until the needed supplies are available. The Hart Company will shortly be receiving new machinery for their plant here, ordered for fall delivery in the expectation the plant would be built by that time. This will be placed in storage temporarily.

The supply of nails used by the Sisman Shoe Company runs dangerously low as the steel strike continues. One-half of the ordinary supply comes from Hamilton and since the strike none have been available from here. The other 50 percent comes from the Montreal plant of the same firm and while their supply has been constant so far, the mills in Sydney, which supply the steel, are closed and increased demands on the firm because of the Hamilton strike make it impossible to obtain a larger quota and in fact seem to point to a sharp curtailment in present stocks.

The rubber strike, of course, seriously threatens production at the Sisman plant. Foresight of the management in securing good reserve supplies of stock previous to the strike has enabled the work to be carried on to date with small effect.

Factory Equipment Ltd. fear a bottleneck in production any week now, as the various types of steel needed in their many processes run out of stock with none immediately available. The rubber strike, especially rubber tires, is felt, too, according to Superintendent John Offord.

LINTON SIGNS CONTRACTS ON SEWERS, ROAD

The contracts with the Hagersville Asphalt and Paving Company, and with K. A. Morrison of Toronto, for the paving of Edward St., and sewer extensions respectively, were signed by Mayor Ross Linton last week and it is expected that both contractors will start to work no later than next week. Individual clauses in the contract guarantee a start within two weeks of signing.

The contract with A. E. Hawkins of Aurora for the water extension on Wellington and Edward Sts. has not as yet been signed. "We are awaiting the pipe, which the town has to supply Mr. Hawkins," Mayor Linton said. "We have received promises in the matter day by day, but so far, the pipe hasn't been delivered. Present industrial conditions are making most of the materials the municipality and its contractors need difficult to obtain. As soon as we receive pipe the contract will be signed and Mr. Hawkins will get the work started."

MIDGET BOXLA

On Monday evening a midget lacrosse double-header will be played in the local arena with Aurora meeting Maple in the opener and Combines playing Woodbridge in the nightcap. It should be a real battle.

GETS NEW POST

Highway Traffic Officer Carl Kreuger, formerly of Alliston, has been posted on the beat from Schomberg to Barrie. He resides at Bond Head.

Legion Bingo Draws Crowd, Plan Another In September

Probably the largest crowd ever to play in Aurora was on hand for the bingo sponsored by the Aurora branch, Canadian Legion, in Aurora arena on Tuesday evening. The event far surpassed expectations of the officials and when the next affair is staged in September, new arrangements will prevail. The crowd enjoyed it all however, and the visitors from Newmarket, King and elsewhere walked home with their share of prizes. There were well over 600 present.

Mrs. Ben. Harrison won the radio door prize, the draw being made by Mayor Ross Linton. John Davis of Aurora won the feature coffee table special. Other features were a pair of lamps won by Miss Nellie Peterson, and a Parker "51" set won by Alfred Brodie. Dinty Moore won the top consolation prize of \$5. Herb Socks was the only double winner on the card, which saw 19 free games played.

The event was convened by a committee headed by Alfred Bolsby and Gardner Lloyd.

PLAY SATURDAY

The fast Huntsville lacrosse team will visit Aurora to meet the Combines' intermediate in a return game on Saturday night. Huntsville measured Combines on Civic holiday in the northern town before 1,500 fans who declared the game to be the best ever played up north. Combines are out for revenge, and with the North York league play-offs at hand will be going all out to get in tip top form.

NO OPPOSITION

With one of the biggest crowds of the year on hand, North York A.C., Lansing, failed to show up for its regular North York fixture with Aurora softballers. Aurora collected two points but the failure to play disappointed the crowd and Aurora officials will complain to the league executive. Next Tuesday Thornhill will play Aurora in a crucial battle for third place.

Three-Storey Addition Planned At Collis Plant

Plans have been drawn for a new three-storey addition, 55' by 58', to the Collis Leather Co. plant and when materials are available, the work is expected to get underway. The walls will be brick with reinforced concrete and the building will be built as an addition to the east side of the present plant.

One floor will provide locker room, showers and wash room facilities for the employees. The second floor will provide a banquet and concert auditorium, complete with stage, snack bar and small kitchen to be used for employees and company functions. The third floor will provide additional factory space. Fleury and Arthur, Toronto, are the architects.

Fires Cost Whitchurch \$280 During July

Fires cost Whitchurch township \$280 in July in fees to the Aurora fire brigade. The amount represents the largest single monthly amount paid for fires in the township's history, and exceeds some years' totals. Despite the amount, the Whitchurch council has nothing but praise for the service rendered. July was an exceptionally dry month, Township Clerk John Crawford explained.

OBTAIN PROPERTY

The Bradford property immediately north of Aurora public school on Victoria St. has been acquired by the Aurora public school board for when the proposed new school is built. Negotiations are continuing for the acquisition of other lands.

GIRLS WIN 18-4

Aurora ladies' softball club took an 18-4 win over Unionville at the latter centre on Thursday evening.

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Shown following their wedding at Trinity church, Aurora, July 21, are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil James Hare. The bride, the former Margaret Hilda Reid, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reid, Aurora. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hare, Holland Landing. Photo by Barrager.

Richmond Hill Is Taken Into Camp To 20-4 Tune

Aurora midgets rode roughshod over Richmond Hill kids on Monday night at Aurora to take a 20-4 win in a four-inning game that was officially declared a contest by president Grant Nighswander. The Hill youngsters were no match for the smooth-working Simmons clan, which was in top form for its first group play-off game. Aurora gathered a total of 15 bingles off Ken. Bennett who worked the whole game for the visitors. Jack Andrews led the Aurora hitters with three singles, and in the first frame three ringing triples were pounded out by McGhee, Kyle and Ron. Simmons. Richmond Hill gathered four hits all in the one inning.

First Inning
Richmond Hill: Bennett took first on an error, Stunden out pitcher to first, Steffan out short to first, Atkinson fanned. 0 hits, 0 runs, 1 error; Aurora: McGhee tripled, McDonald singled McGhee scoring, Kyle tripled, R. Simmons drove him home with a triple and came in on a wild throw. Andrews singled, Cook fanned. Timbers safe on Stunden's error, G. Simmons sent both over with a line single, Backley fanned, McGhee got a life on Hill's error. McGee fanned. 7 runs, 6 hits, 2 errors.

Second Inning
Richmond Hill: Hill out short to first, Patterson to Cook, Charles fanned. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors.

Aurora: Kyle popped to Steffan, Simmons out to Hill, Andrews singled, Cook walked, Timbers singled, both runners scoring. G. Simmons singled Timbers home. Backley struck out. 3 runs, 3 hits, 0 errors.

Third Inning
Richmond Hill: Gamble fanned, Moore singled, Bennett walked, Stunden drove Moore home with a hit, Steffan out pitcher to first, Bennett scoring, Atkinson singled, scoring Bennett, Hill walked, Patterson drove home both runners, Charles out second to first, 4 runs, 4 hits, 1 error;

Aurora: McGhee down short to first, McDonald singled to centre, Kyle walked, R. Simmons drove both over with a hit, Andrews out pitcher to first, McDonald drove home Simmons with a hit. Cook fanned. 3 runs, 2 hits, 1 error;

Fourth Inning
Richmond Hill: Gamble fanned, Moore walked, Bennett on first by error, McDonald nipped Moore off third on a nice play, Stunden popped to Kyle, 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors;

Aurora: Timbers dropped a Texas leaguer, G. Simmons walked, Backley singled both over. McGhee got a life on an

Legion To Be Presented Colors At Sept. 8 Service

Plans are being completed by Chairman W. H. MacGirr and his committee for the dedication and presentation of colors to Aurora Branch, 385, Canadian Legion, on Sunday, Sept. 8, in the Aurora town park.

Fire Chief Harry Jones will officially present the handsome flags, one a Union Jack, the other in blue and gold and bearing the Canadian Legion crest, to President John Sisman. The consecration and the service will be in the charge of Rev. R. K. Perdue, the branch chaplain, assisted by Major Arthur Waring, Ontario command, B.E.S.L. A prominent ex-services chaplain will give the address.

Aurora Boys' Band will be present for the occasion and following the service, the salute will be taken by Erle Burgess, Guelph, president of the Ontario command, Canadian Legion.

WELL KNOWN GOLFER, GORD. TAYLOR JR. DIES

Funeral services were held on Friday from St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Richmond Hill, for Gordon Taylor, Jr., of Bond Lake, well known Canadian golfer. Mr. Taylor, who was 37, was a native of Toronto and was educated at St. Michael's College. He was a broker and served overseas as a captain with the Royals Regiment. He held the Ontario amateur golf title at one time and was once finalist in the Canadian amateur. He was a member of the Summit golf club.

He is survived by his father, two brothers and three sisters, two of whom, Mrs. Wilfred Dinick and Mrs. Anthony Smith, reside in the district.

Archery Display, Clown Act Added To Labor Day Events

Two new features have been added to the big labor day field day being held in Aurora Sept. 2 by the Aurora branch, Canadian Legion. A team of archers, champions of Canada, who gave a display of skill with their bows and arrows at the recent Toronto police games, will be present. William Tell or Robin Hood has nothing on these modern archers according to all reports. Their display will be given between softball games.

Bob Redfern, ex-army gymnast and competitor on Major Bowes' amateur hour, has been engaged to put on his clown act throughout the day, and the kiddies and adults as well will get a kick out of his antics. It is expected a clown band will be present.

C.W.A.C. END DUTIES HERE, LEAVE AUG. 22

News from national defence headquarters indicate that on Sept. 30, all members of the C.W.A.C. will have been discharged from the service. At present there are still 14 members of the "Cwacs" on strength at the Aurora R.C.O.C. depot, and these girls, who at present form the nucleus of the Aurora ladies' softball club, have received notice to leave Aurora by Aug. 22 and to report to their depots for discharge. At one time there were 75 C.W.A.C. personnel at the Aurora depot and they have done a grand job, being employed in almost every type of job.

At least four members have been married since coming to Aurora and they will remain in the district. Most of the girls plan to return to their homes, many going back to old jobs, but matrimony is the career most will choose after discharge.

The girls in khaki can take a bow for a job well done, and local residents will be able to remember the C.W.A.C. personnel in the highest terms.

\$3,900 Engine Bought For Waterworks Here

Unable to secure no other auxiliary gasoline engine than that offered to the municipality by the Storey Engineering Co. and Bawden Machinery at last Aurora town council meeting at a price of \$3,900, Aurora waterworks committee has purchased it and it will be installed this week. The committee feels it has been fortunate in securing the engine in view of the shortage on the market and rising prices next month.

MEMBERS OF SERVICES WED



Married July 12 in St. Andrew's church, Aurora, were Mr. and Mrs. John Closs McGhee. The bride was the former Thelma Jean Czinkota, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Czinkota, Saltcoats, Sask. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGhee, Aurora. The groom is a leading aircraftman in the R.C.A.F. and the bride was a member of the C.W.A.C. Photo by Barrager.

EASY ONE
He was enlarging on the danger of modern foods and with a dramatic gesture he pointed an emphatic finger at a rather hard-looking and inoffensive listener and demanded:
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QUEENSVILLE

Dr. and Mrs. J. Stiles and family of Schumacher, Ont., were holidaying last week with Dr. Stiles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stiles.

Mrs. Ed Hill and niece, Marian Wright, are staying at the Wright farm for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Milne visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Titus Peregrine last week-end.

Miss Jean Kavanagh has been spending a week at home.

Mrs. Percy Boag has returned from the city and is feeling better. Her mother, Mrs. John Hamilton, Sutton West, has been spending a few days with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Leith visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Calhoun, Aurora, on Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Arnold entertained some ladies Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Stickwood, Toronto, was home over the weekend.

Mrs. Wm. Hill, Sutton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mackenzie and Sandy, Toronto, spent the week-end at the Mackenzie and Toombs home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowlinson and Mr. Ken Rowe, all of Toronto, spent Tuesday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Toombs.

Mrs. W. Williams is holidaying at Mary Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, Mount Albert.

Mr. Fred C. Smith of the Globe and Mail was a recent guest at Mr. Elmer Stickwood's home.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Wilbert Dew last Tuesday evening. The program included an address by Rev. A. Millen. The Institute is taking a bus trip to Orillia on Thursday, Aug. 22, leaving Queensville at 9 a.m. Tickets \$1.90.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phimister spent Sunday with Mrs. Phimister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stickwood, Madoc, were holidaying at Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stickwood's home recently.

Mr. Harold Smith, Dorothy and Harold, Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Angus Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smith. Mrs. H. Smith returned to Elmira with them after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ritson, Montreal, are visiting at Mr. W. T. Huntley's.

Mr. Murray Huntley has returned after spending a holiday in the eastern States where he visited Mr. Vern Barker, Blairstown, N.J., and Mr. Elgin Barker, Oneonta, N.Y.

GLENVILLE

Miss Ruth Miller, Galt, is spending a few days holidaying with her cousin, Barbara Gould.

Mrs. Wm. Keffer spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Angus Morrison, and family at their cottage at Balm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude McLachlan, Lloydtown, were Sunday guests of Mrs. McLachlan's sister, Mrs. Wm. Gould, and Mr. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Wilson and baby of Palgrave spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry West, Bogartown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dutton and Rita, Mimico, spent last week with Mrs. Dutton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keffer.

ANNOUNCE TERMS OF WHEAT CONTRACT

Terms of the wheat agreement between Great Britain and Canada as announced in the House of Commons by the minister of trade and commerce, Hon. James MacKinnon, are:

Britain agrees to purchase 160 million bushels of wheat from Canada for the years 1946 and 1947 at \$1.55 a bushel and for the year 1948, 140 million bushels at \$1.25, minimum price. In 1949, the British government agrees to purchase 140 million bushels at \$1 a bushel, minimum. If the world price stays up for the next two years, the British government agrees to take this into consideration in determining what should be paid in addition to the \$1.25 and \$1 minimum set for 1948 and 1949 respectively. Meanwhile, the British government has the right to sell any portion of the grain purchased from Canada, at any price they choose.

The agreement between the federal government and the wheat growers is: during the next four years, the government will pay to farmers an initial payment of \$1.35 per bushel. That applies for all of the wheat for this year. For the three following years the government guarantees a price of \$1.35 for 14 bushels per acre on the allocated acreage. Twelve cents a bushel is now being paid on the 1943 wheat crop. As soon as these payments are made (which are completed participation certificates), payment will begin to be made on the 1944 crop and will not be less than 16 cents a bushel. Ten cents a bushel will be paid on 1945 participating certificates. All funds for Canadian wheat over \$1.35 for the 1945 crop will go into a pool along with all monies received for 1946, 1947, 1948 and 1949 crops over \$1.35 initial payments and these monies will be paid out to the farmers as participation certificates in 1950.

HOPE

Mrs. Garnet Fairbairn, Yvonne and Donald, visited Mrs. Oscar Stickwood on Friday afternoon.

Miss Clemens Pegg spent Sunday at Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burd, Toronto, spent Friday with Mrs. Archie Dike.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Everton Rolling and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cutting, Aurora, visited Arthur Edwards on Sunday. All enjoyed a picnic by the pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dike attended Wesley church on Sunday morning. They had dinner with Mrs. A. Oliver and supper with Mr. W. H. Sproston.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carson, Guelph, visited at the home of Howard Pegg last Thursday.

Mr. Jas. Atkinson, Midland, visited Mr. Bill Ellis on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stickwood visited at the home of Raymond Stickwood on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fingler and Ronald are holidaying with Mrs. Rigby.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carson, Guelph, visited at the home of Mr. Sam Hall for a few days last week.

Miss Lorna Pegg spent the weekend at Washago Beach.

Miss Doreen Ruthven visited Miss Lorna Pegg last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinel, L.T.C.M., Toronto, spent last week with Mrs. Herb. Tansley.

Mr. and Mrs. Crompton, Toronto, visited Mrs. Herb. Tansley on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Stevens, Kirkland Lake, visited Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Tansley on Sunday.

KESWICK

Mr. Irwin is able to be out again after his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Harron and Miss Florence Waldon spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. I. Waldon.

Letters to the editor are always welcome. If you have something on your mind, write it down and send it to the editor.

Baseball, Flower Show Planned For Future

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson of Toronto were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver, Sr.

Rev. W. H. Burgess returned this week from his holidays and will be in the pulpit of the United church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rolling and Betty attended the boat races at Barrie last week, then went on to Parry Sound for the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Carman Rolling accompanied them to the races.

Mr. Johnson of Caledon East is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. Couper.

Mrs. Jas. Cooper has been holidaying in Muskoka.

Mr. William Campbell, who has been in poor health for some time, is confined to bed again.

Mr. Will Hayes, Toronto, spent the weekend with his sister, Miss E. Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes and Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold left on Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wagg at Belleville.

There will be a double-header ball game in the park on Saturday evening, Aug. 17, commencing at 6 o'clock when Mother Parker's team from Toronto will play two all-star teams from Mount Albert. The Women's Institute is serving at the booth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and Barbara are visiting relatives in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. Fitzgerald of Toronto is relieving manager at the bank while Mr. Roberts is on holidays.

The Horticultural Society will hold its annual flower show in the town hall on Thursday, Aug. 22.

The organization meeting of a women's auxiliary for Branch No. 382, Mount Albert Canadian Legion, will be held shortly. The district zone commander and officers of the provincial auxiliary will be on hand for the meeting. The date, time and meeting place will be announced later on.

The Mount Albert Gospel church will re-open Sunday, Aug. 25, with two services, at 3 and 7.30 p.m.

Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Kerr are holidaying at Muskoka Baptist camp, Mary Lake, near Huntsville.

The Gospel church service will again be held in Longford Pegg's Park Sunday evening.

Mrs. L. Prior, Kenmore, N.Y., and Mrs. Ruth Cook, Oshawa, were Sunday guests of their cousin, Mrs. Roy Carr, and Mr. Carr.

Mr. Len Cook, Oshawa, and Mr. Walter Jones, East Aurora, U.S.A., were also guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr.

Mrs. Filey Sheppard, Miss Hettie and Mr. D. Wright were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pegg and family, Sutton.

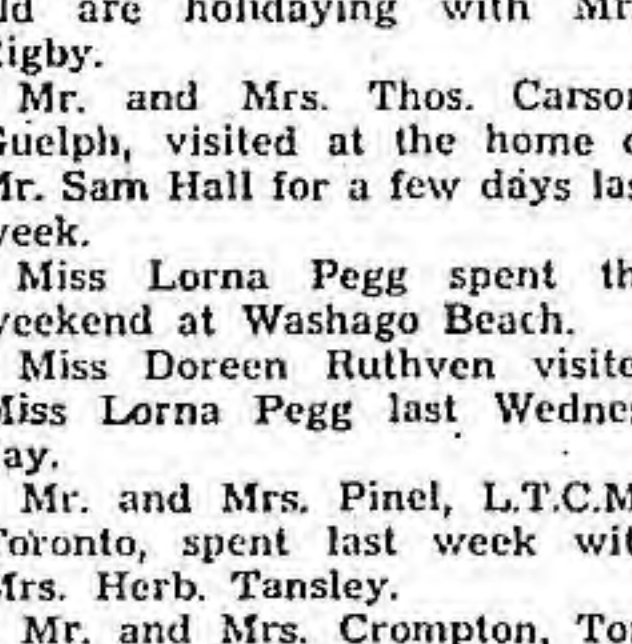
MIDGETS WIN 7-1 AT RICHMOND HILL

Aurora midgets scored an impressive 7-1 win over Richmond Hill at the Hill last Thursday night in a North Yonge minor lacrosse fixture. Earlier in the week, the Hill defeated Aurora 4-3 in Aurora, but were no match for Harry Sutton's boys at home.

Phil Davidson and Bill Patrick scored first period goals for Aurora with Bill Neal notching what proved to be the lone Hill goal. In the second period, Bill Mundell and Howard Patrick each scored, and in the third period, the same duo repeated. In the final period, Howard Patrick got his third counter of the night. Charlie Southwood played a strong game in the nets for the winners, who had their passing plays clicking and looked to be in better condition. Clement of the homesters drew a major penalty and a misconduct in the fourth quarter.

Aurora: goal, Southwood; def., H. Patrick, Davidson; rover, Mundell; centre, W. Patrick; homes, L. Doolittle, Holman; subs., Davis, Attridge, O. Lawson, Nesbitt, Smith.

MARRIES WOLF ISLAND GIRL



A recent wedding of local interest was that of Elma Doreen Keyes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keyes, Wolf Island, to Lorne Crowder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crowder, Stouffville. Pictured above are Mr. Gordon Crowder, brother of the groom, best man, the bride and groom, Miss Mildred Boyd, bridesmaid, and Miss Dorothy Davis, niece of the groom, flower girl.

THE MAN IN THE MOON

By GOLDEN GLOW

The man in the moon gets blamed for all sorts of things. This week, it was because he was full and made the skies so bright that the annual shower of meteors, which always occurs at this time of the year, was almost invisible and so was a great disappointment to "star gazers" down at the Dunlop Observatory.

That is a wonderful place to go and have a look at the moon through the big telescope. I looked hard to see whether I could see the man in the moon the time I was there. It was a full moon and as bright as day—and I just didn't know what to expect when I stepped up to have my first real look.

You know there are plenty of people who declare that they can see a pretty girl up in the moon and that there really is no "man in the moon". (Maybe they aren't looking at the moon when they see the pretty girl for moonshine does queer things to people!)

Of course there's a man in the moon! Weren't we told often enough and emphatically enough in our young days that there was a man in the moon because he picked up chips on Sunday and for punishment he was put up there? You were not supposed to pick up chips on Sunday and if you did, that dire threat hung over you that you'd be sent to the moon too! You had to get your work done on Saturday—and that was one of the "scare-stories" the older folks had of making children obey.

And if you had any doubt of there being a man in the moon, why all you needed to do was get out your nursery rhyme book and there was the cow jumping over the moon and the moon was a laughing man's face. Proof positive to any youngster!

"Hey, diddle-diddle, the cat and the fiddle,
The cow jumped over the moon;
The little dog laughed to see such sport
And the dish ran away with the spoon!"

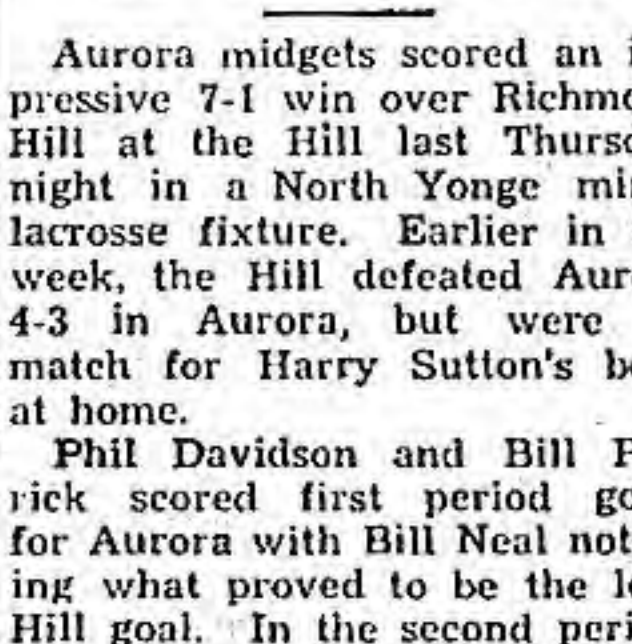
So don't bother spending too much time trying to make out the features of the man in the moon. Just enjoy the wonderful moonlight nights. This is the

MEET AUGUST 22

The Senior Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Congregational-Christian church will be held at 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 22, in the basement of the church.

the worst way, but here's hoping it clears up every evening so we can watch for the man in the moon.

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The fertilizers administrator
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Board has approved several fer-
tilizer mixtures for manufacture
and sale throughout Ontario for
the fall season. These mixtures
are as follows: 0-14-7; 2-12-8;
4-12-6; 4-8-10 and 4-24-12. With
the exception of the latter,
namely 4-24-12, these are all
familiar to Ontario farmers and
for their particular usefulness
under specific conditions the
new booklet published by the
Ontario Fertilizer Advisory
Board provides sound advice.

With respect to the 4-24-12,
this is in reality a double-
strength 2-12-8, and since it
contains double the amount of
plant food as the 2-12-8, only
one-half the amount need be ap-
plied as in the better known
2-12-8.

The reason for including this
more concentrated mixture is
that the production of super-
phosphate from the raw rock
has been reduced substantially
because of difficulties in im-
porting sufficient phosphate
rock.

In order to cope with these
emergency conditions, the fertil-
izers administrator has arranged
for the shipment of the required
tonnage of ammonium phosphate
(11-48-0) from Trail, B.C. Upon
arrival at the eastern Canadian
fertilizer plants it will be mixed
with the required amount of
potash to make up the 4-24-12.

While this is not a new mixture,
its use has been confined largely
to farmers in eastern Canada
who do not possess fertilizer
drills. In such cases the 11-48-0,
or mixtures made from it, are
mixed directly with the grain
and sown along with it. It may
also be used quite satisfactorily
in any grain drill equipped with
a fertilizer attachment, but the
machine should be adjusted to
sow about half the amount of
ordinary mixtures.

There are some mixtures, em-
ployed before the war, which be-
cause of the fertilizer supply
situation have not yet been plac-
ed back on the list. Some of
these mixtures will be available
for spring use but until the sup-
ply situation is clarified, and
fertilizer materials are safely in
the plants of the various fertil-
izer manufacturers, it is thought
wise to be cautious in increasing
the number of mixtures for fall
use.

Farmers may obtain the fertil-
izer ingredients and make up
their own mixtures, provided
they are in such amounts as will
make up any of the approved
analyses.

In cases where official soil
tests show the need for special
fertilizer treatments, and on the
recommendation of the fertil-
izers administrator or his repre-
sentative, quantities of fertilizer
materials may be purchased in
the amounts indicated as being
required by the soil tests.

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and transportation costs will in-
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shipment was selected from the
provinces of Ontario, Quebec,
Manitoba and Alberta and will
go to breeders in all parts of
Great Britain.

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two each from J. Darlington and
Sons, Todmorden, and Findlay
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each from E. David and H.
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SUPER-ATHLETE

By ORVILLE GANTON

Recently Babe (Didrickson)
Zaharius realized a life's ambi-
tion by winning U.S. women's
professional golf crown. I be-
lieve Babe is the greatest compe-
titive athlete of either sex since
the human race began.

Babe competed in 634 athletic
contests as an amateur. To win
an average of one victory in ten
starts would be considered splen-
did. To get one triumph in five
starts, a total of 127, would be
amazing. How many did she
win? The truth is Babe won
632 first prizes in those 634
efforts.

The greatness of Babe Didrick-
son lies in her versatility. She
can do more things better than
any athlete that ever lived. Jim
Thorpe, the Indian of another
generation, makes the closest
approach to Babe's record. Jim
could do almost anything on
track or field. He was brilliant
at football and good at baseball
until big league pitchers cut his
batting average to zero. But
Jim wasn't a swimmer, a golfer,
a billiardist, a tennis player and
such.

At the 1932 Olympiad, Babe
stood five feet, six inches and
weighed 126 pounds. She was a
champion, or near champion at
20 different sports. She never
took a lesson at anything except
golf. And she banged out the
longest drive ever credited to a
woman golfer—327 yards.

Babe's first competition was
with boxing gloves, battling her
brother. She was 13 and
weighed 90 pounds; he bulked
165. No quarter was asked and
none was given. Before she
learned to block and duck she
was knocked down often. Soon
Babe began scoring knockdowns
and could drape one on a chin
with staggering force. Next it
was basketball and she soon
acquired ranking as the greatest
player of her sex that ever lived.

Next it was the javelin throw,
then weights, sprinting, hurdling,
high-jump and then a succession
of championships at tennis. At
swimming she defeated all com-
ers—sprint or distance—and beat
every man they sent against her.
Babe can out-shoot many men
with pistol or rifle. She has
thrown a baseball farther than
any woman. She can play any
position on the team with pitch-
ing her specialty. She is a high
average bowler. She says
"billiards are a little too delicate
for me", yet there are not three
women in the United States her
superior. Put her on a bicycle
and she will outstride any of her
sex and make the men pant to
keep abreast.

"But I love golf," she says.
"Golfers aren't born, they are
made." Now this peerless per-
former in 20 other sports has won
the open golf championship. Can
she cook? She doesn't need to.
Her husband, George Zaharius,
former professional wrestling
champion villain type, owns a
string of restaurants on the west
coast. They are wealthy enough
to employ a cook.

ZEPHYR

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marr and
Bruce, Malton, and Mr. and Mrs.
M. Marr, Toronto, visited Mr.
and Mrs. John Galbraith last
Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Palmer and Joan spent
last week with Mrs. Palmer's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ry-
nard. Mr. Palmer spent Sunday
here.

Mrs. A. B. Lockie is spending
a couple of weeks with her
brother in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Holmes, Toronto, is visit-
ing her sister, Mrs. Frank Curl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Midgley and
family spent Sunday visiting in
Greenbank.

Miss Lois Fariss, Cookstown,
spent a few days with her
friend, Miss Mona Armstrong, re-
cently.

Mrs. R. Shier is spending a
couple of weeks with her sister
at a cottage near Barrie and is
visiting at Shelbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barker,

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are this week
extended to:

Harold Smith, Newmarket, six
years old on Saturday, Aug. 10.
Betty Adams, Newmarket, 13
years old on Monday, Aug. 12.
Morley Thornton, Newmarket,
ten years old on Tuesday, Aug.
13.

Jack McCannan, Newmarket,
14 years old on Thursday, Aug.
15.

Beth McPhee, Newmarket,
seven years old on Thursday,
Aug. 15.

Bonnie Joy Bailie, Newmar-
ket, five years old on Thursday,
Aug. 15.

Muriel Helen Willoughby,
Belhaven, 13 years old on Sat-
urday, Aug. 17.

Norman Henry Smart, New-
market, ten years old on Sat-
urday, Aug. 17.

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birthday and become a member
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day club.

Newmarket, visited Mr. and Mrs.
M. McNelly on Sunday.
Mrs. Arthur Smith, Uxbridge,
is visiting her sister, Mrs. W.
Rynard.

The Women's Institute will
meet August 21 in the Commu-
nity Hall at 8.15 p.m. Mrs. W.
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have been visiting Mr. and
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home on Monday.

H. Babin has received the bal-
ance of his chinchillas from the
Thornhill ranch of the Canadian
Chinchilla Co. Ltd. and now has
six cages of adult chinchilla and
several babies.

They are now transferred to

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success in the raising of these
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Mrs. A. McKinnon visited her
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News On Recreation

By E. R. MATHER,
RECREATION CO-ORDINATOR

School will soon open for Newmarket children and fall activities will soon be in full swing for the adults. Now is the time to get working on some of these things, whatever the hobbies or pursuits may be. The recreation council is formed to help in organizing any activities that people are interested in. It has hired temporarily a co-ordinator, an advisor, or counsellor, whatever you wish to call him, to devote his full time to this business. The next few weeks in August will be an excellent time to take advantage of the council's services in getting groups of all sorts started. Added to this is the fact that after August 31 the council may be temporarily deprived of a full-time worker.

The council hopes to be able to provide out-door rinks for children and it may be able to give assistance to any of the groups that feel they need and could use help. Other projects should get going while we are still able to offer personal assistance.

The swimming program sponsored by the recreation council

has come to an end after six weeks. Today is the last day and a full report will not be available until later on. I doubt whether we will be able to give an individual report on each child but we can assure parents and those interested that the program has been a success. A lot of wrinkles have been ironed out and this first effort will provide the basis for a sound program in the future.

A good deal of the time this summer was spent in overcoming a certain amount of natural timidity. Most of the children who went down to Lake Wilcox have now reached the stage of familiarity with the water where their next learning steps will come easily and quickly. More progress has been made this last week with many than during the previous five weeks and further instruction will turn them into capable and efficient swimmers.

Approximately 25 have passed their junior Red Cross swimming test, which for beginners is a rather tough test. Many more are in the position of being able to swim but are not yet ready to make a try at their test.

With the close of the program we find that we have a dozen articles of clothing, bathing hats and towels which we have picked up on the buses and from the changing rooms. Parents are urged to come around and pick these things up.

Glenville swimming enthusiasts are still braving the waters on the far side of Yonge St. Friday evening they will be going out again and will welcome others. The only charge is that for transportation and if you have your own means of getting out there, come on out. The pond is not the best place for teaching beginners how to swim but nevertheless, it can be done and without too much difficulty and with no danger whatever.

Next summer, if nothing else turns up in the way of swimming spots, we could again plan to go out there and possibly fix up a diving-board and some inexpensive dressing rooms.

Baseball. George Haskett's juniors go down to Stouffville this Saturday afternoon for the first game of the O.B.A. playoffs. The team has done well and expects to continue to do so. Last week we mentioned that the recreation council would be glad to help any of those who want to go down and support the team and to that end we are willing to make arrangements to charter a bus. However, we must know before hand how many would plan to use it; the fare will be reasonable so let George or myself know before Friday evening at the very latest.

The midge baseball league is still functioning but with a slight change in its schedule.

MRS. SAMUEL COOK BORN IN KING TWP.

Following a lengthy illness, Mrs. Samuel Cook, widow of the late Samuel Cook and for many years a resident of Aurora, died in Toronto Monday.

In her 69th year, Mrs. Cook was born Sarah Ann Ellis in King township and following her marriage, with the exception of a few years' residence at Holland Landing, she has resided in Aurora until around eight years ago when she moved to Toronto following her husband's death. While in Aurora, Mrs. Cook led a quiet life but had many close personal friends and she was an active worker in the affairs of Aurora Baptist church.

She is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Leslie Borden (Pearl), Oakville, Mrs. George Walker (Olive), Aurora, Miss Jean, Toronto, and Mrs. John Bowser, Jr. (Margaret), Newmarket, and three sons, Harry and Frank, Toronto, and James, Niagara Falls.

The funeral service was held from P. M. Thompson's Funeral Home last Thursday with interment at Kettleby cemetery. Rev. A. R. Park conducted the service.

KESWICK

Miss Gerry Gable spent the holiday weekend as a guest of Miss Betty Fisher, Port Dalhousie.

Buy and sell through the classified ad page.

Games from now on will be played on Wednesday evenings. If there are still some boys under 16 who want to get in the games, speak to either of the captains, Laurie Thoms or Don Gibson.

Bowling. Teen-agers have been offered a grand opportunity by the Newmarket Lawn Bowling club to learn and practise the game. H. J. Luck has made arrangements to provide instruction and bowls; there is still lots of time to get in there and perhaps organize a tournament for later on. Those that are interested in taking advantage of this facility for recreation are asked to meet me on Monday afternoon at 5:45 p.m. at the fire hall for registration.

A week Sunday we hope to be able to put on a sing-song in the evening for those interested. Don Gilkes and his orchestra have offered to supply the leads and the background. Now we need a good song leader or two to help make the project a success.

JEAN COLLINS

IS AUGUST BRIDE

Leaside United church was the setting for the wedding on August 10 of Jean Barbara Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell G. Collins, Leaside, formerly of Newmarket, and Jack Hunter Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Day, Creemore, Ont.

Rev. H. A. Mellow, minister of the church, assisted by Rev. Ralph G. English, uncle of the bride, pastor of the Christian church at Stanfordville, N.Y., conducted the ceremony against a background of standards and baskets of colorful gladioli. Mr. D. G. Brown, church organist, played the wedding music and Mr. Mervyn Corbett was soloist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was becomingly attired in white embroidered marquisette. Her full-length veil of tulle illusion fell from a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade bouquet of red roses, white larkspur and bouvardia.

Mrs. Scott Muir, Minesing, was matron of honor. Mrs. Bruce Sproule, Niagara Falls, Ont., sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. They wore turquoise moire taffeta, matching mitts and Juliet caps and carried star bouquets of Briarcliff roses, pink larkspur and pink cornflowers.

Mr. Freeman Day, Creemore, brother of the groom, was best man. Mr. Gordon Collins, brother of the bride, Mr. Charles English, cousin of the bride, and Mr. Herbert Newell were ushers.

The reception was held at Annesley Hall, Queen's Park. The bride's mother received in a navy ensemble, navy and white accessories and a corsage of pink roses. The groom's mother chose a pink crepe frock with black accessories and a corsage of Rapture roses and blue cornflowers.

For travelling the bride donned a flowered silk jersey dress, navy and white accessories and a corsage of red roses. After a honeymoon at the bride's parents' cottage, "Knollhurst", at Orillia, the young couple will make their home in the Ingersoll district.

Guests from a distance included Rev. and Mrs. R. G. English, Stanfordville, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Bruce W. Morton, Glasgow St., N.Y., and Miss Mary Fox, Buffalo, N.Y., and Lieut. Chas. English, Washington, D.C. Relatives and friends were also present from Stouffville, Orillia, Creemore and included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins, Newmarket.

The bride's family resided in Orillia for a number of years after leaving Newmarket. The bride was born in Newmarket and has been teaching in Stouffville high school. Her mother was Miss Myra Morton, who taught on the Newmarket public school staff some years ago.

COUPLE TO LIVE IN NEWMARKET

A pretty wedding was solemnized at Beachville United church on July 31, when Mary Helen Matheson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Matheson, Beachville, was united in marriage to John Proctor Scott, son of Mrs. Nelson Scott, and the late Mr. Scott, Newmarket. Rev. E. S. Barton performed the ceremony against a setting of white gladioli and hydrangea, and white tapers. Mr. Charles H. Walker, Woodstock, was at the organ, and Mrs. Lorne sang The Lord's Prayer and Through the Years.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in white moire taffeta with sweetheart neckline, panier skirt and slight train. Her long veil with applied flowers fell from a seed pearl headress and she wore a three-strand pearl necklace. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Clare Youngs, Crediton, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and Miss Edna Barratt, Beachville, was bridesmaid. They were similarly attired in gowns of white silk organza with bouffant skirts and lace insets, and heart-shaped head-dresses of frilled organza. They carried heart-shaped colonial bouquets of white sweet peas and pink roses.

Mr. A. I. Henry, Toronto, was best man, and Mr. J. D. McKay and Mr. H. McBurney, Embro, were ushers.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's mother received in a two-piece dress of dewey grey millady crepe, with a black straw hat with three-tone ribbon trim, and a corsage of Tallman roses. She was assisted by the groom's mother, who had chosen a gown of grey figured crepe, with a wine and pink flower hat and black accessories and a corsage of wine sweet peas and pink rose buds.

For travelling the bride donned a two-piece blue dress with dolman sleeves and blue bengaline trim. She wore a blue bengaline hat, brown shoes and gloves and the bridegroom's gift, a mink neckpiece. Following a honeymoon in eastern Ontario, they will reside in Newmarket.

Guests were present from Embro, London, Toronto, Kitchener, Newmarket, Woodstock, Beachville, Mount Morris, Mich., and Peterboro.

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Newmarket

—Mrs. J. E. Cane has returned home after a vacation with friends in Weston.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Colclough and Miss Colclough are holidaying at Tobemorey, Bruce Peninsula.

—Mrs. P. J. Ryan and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Charles Evans, Lydia St., for the past two weeks, left for their home in Toronto this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willis, Toronto, returned this week from a motor trip in the Bruce Peninsula.

—Misses Vivian Evenden, Nellie Pitcher and Lois Holmes, who are employed at the Salvation Army fresh-air camp at Jackson's Point, were in town Tuesday and called on friends of Miss Evenden's. Miss Evenden is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Evenden, Hamilton, who were the officers of the local Salvation Army corps during 1932-33.

—The ladies of the Salvation Army home league had a surprise birthday supper for Mrs. Arthur Robinson, on Tuesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Glover and family of Toronto were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wrightman on Wednesday.

—Misses Betty and June Haines, and Miss Joyce Van Loven, Pleasantville, were visitors on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wrightman.

—Miss Anna Woodford Forster, Washington, D.C., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George C. Young. —Mr. Bill Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walker, Toronto, is spending a week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper, and Betty.

—Mrs. Ted. Vollum, Toronto, has spent two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Irene Duncan.

—Miss Grace Doyle is spending her vacation at Sault Ste. Marie.

—Misses Jeanne and Patricia Duncan are spending this week at the Royal Simcoe, Lake Simcoe.

—Mrs. Ernest Dobbie, Eileen and Roy spent the weekend in Georgetown visiting Mrs. Dobbie's sister.

—J. E. Gowland, chiropractor, has returned home after spending the past week holidaying in Muskoka district. This week Mr. Gowland is attending the national chiropractic association convention in Toronto.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Travis have returned from their holidays at Crystal Beach and Buffalo.

—Sgt. A. Skelton is home from Long Branch on furlough. —Many friends of Mrs. Ken. Muma (Mary Henry) will be pleased to learn she is progressing satisfactorily.

—Mrs. Douglas Sanders and Paul of Richmond Hill are spending this week with Mrs. Sander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ruddock.

—Mrs. Roy Langford and Miss Doris McArthur, Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weddel at their cottage at Tobemorey last week.

—Mr. Wm. Tait left today for a month's holiday with his brother, Mr. N. M. Tait, Langbank, Sask.

—Miss Joy Herriger, Bucyrus, Ohio, niece of Mr. Hugh Bunton, spent the weekend with Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson.

—Miss Ruth Adams is spending this week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wouters, Yonge St. north, Newmarket.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman W. Wilson, Freeport, Pa., have been visiting their cousin, Mrs. Will E. Morton, and Mr. Morton.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spear spent the weekend in Haliburton the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carter.

—Mr. Norman Rahmer, Wick-eby, Sask., is visiting his uncle, Mr. Reuben Rahmer.

—Mr. Fleming Young visited the Fleming homestead near Queensville on Sunday.

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We wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, sympathy and beautiful floral tributes during our recent bereavement. Mrs. J. Beatty and family.

CARD OF THANKS

The members of Mount Albert and district branch of the Canadian Legion, No. 382, B.E.S.L., wish to thank everyone who helped them to put on such a successful Sports Day on their first annual event on August 5. Special thanks are tendered to the ladies under the convensorship of Mrs. W. L. Carruthers who so ably attended to the wants of the public at the refreshment booth. To Geo. Allison and Dr. G. W. E. Macpherson for their wonderful trophies which they donated to the branch for annual competition, we tender special thanks. The Geo. Allison trophy is for softball teams composed of Legionnaires and the Dr. Macpherson trophy is for tug-of-war for similar teams. Our thanks are also tendered to the parks board, village council and any others connected with the community park, community hall and tennis courts.

WEDDINGS

PLUMMER - PHEONIX

On Saturday, Aug. 3, 1946, Virginia Myrtle, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Phoenix, Vivian, to Franklin Donald, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Plummer, Toronto. Rev. E. S. Kerr officiated.

MOUNT ALBERT GOSPEL CHURCH

Rev. E. S. Kerr, Pastor

7.30 P.M. - Last Service at Pegg's Park - 7.30 P.M.

Mr. Ed Bailey preaching and playing his piano accordion. Mr. Harold Allin, a young Christian businessman, will conduct the service. Mrs. Allin, soloist.

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